

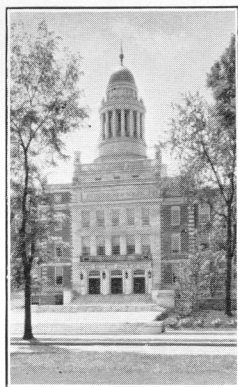
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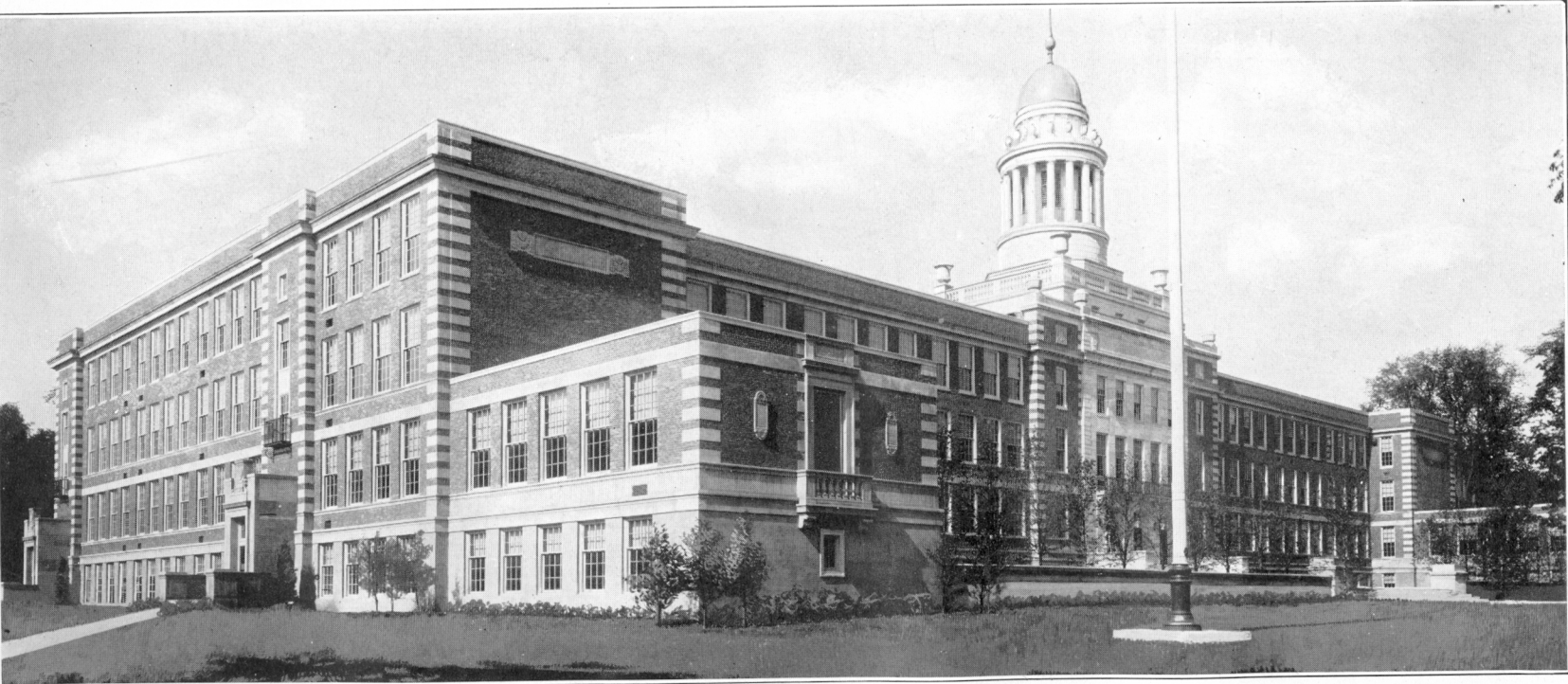
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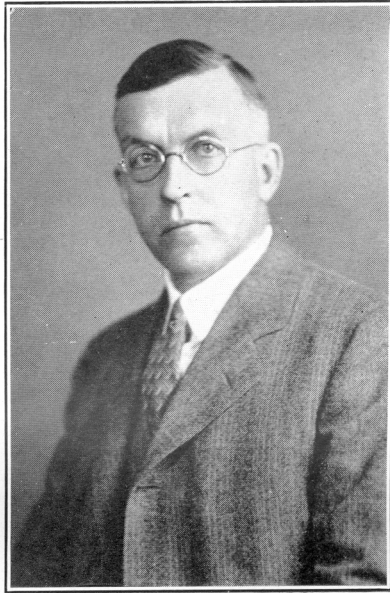




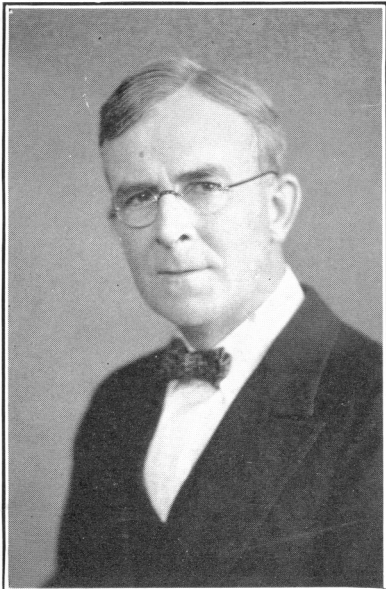
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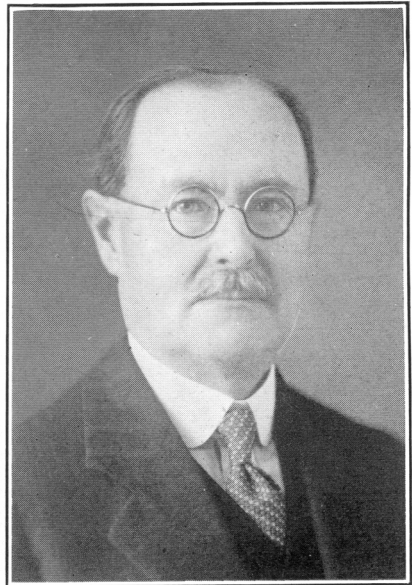
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Miss Helen Warren—*Spanish*

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Miss Agnes L. Corcoran—*Office Clerk*



To Mr. Milton J. Herrick  
Teacher, Friend and Adviser  
We, the Class of June 1932, Dedicate Our  
Annual in Grateful Recognition  
of His Services

# Foreword



HAT the parting paths we follow may never separate us; that precious memories may never be buried under the impression of years; that there may be an everlasting record of our achievement thus far; and that we may always realize our debt of gratitude to Pittsfield High School, the class of June 1932 has published this Annual.





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## WHO'S WHO

LAURA GRACE ALDERMAN

15 Merriam St.

*Schools:* Briggs, Redfield, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Music Appreciation, Posture.  
*Activities:* Senior Basketball '32, Senior Tennis '32.  
*Ambition:* To marry a multi-millionaire.

FLOYD ALLEN *Bud*

74 Center St.

*Schools:* Redfield, Pomeroy.  
*Activities:* Senior Play Ticket Committee.  
*Ambition:* To get 100 in a test of Mr. Murray's own questions.

MARY M. ALVARO *Mamie*

12 Harvard St.

*Schools:* Plunkett, Crane.  
*Clubs:* Handwork.  
*Ambition:* To be able to play like Paderewski.

GRACE LOUISE AMES *Shorty*

88 Henry Ave.

*Schools:* Briggs, Redfield, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic, Posture.  
*Activities:* Junior Prom Refreshment Committee, Senior Basketball '32, Senior Baseball '32, Senior Archery '32.  
*Ambition:* To serve bigger and better hot dogs in Woolworth's.

ALFRED SYDNEY ANDERSON *Andy*

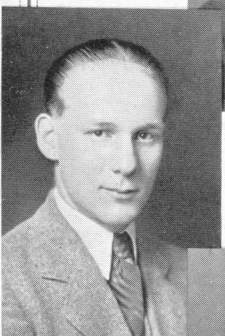
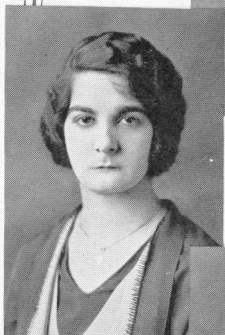
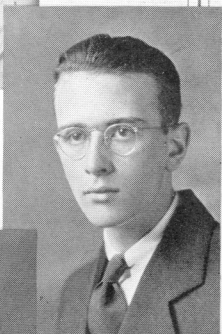
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*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.  
*Clubs:* Varsity.  
*Activities:* Football '29-'30-'31, Basketball '29-'31, Varsity Club Pin Committee, Traffic '29, Senior Play.  
*Ambition:* To stand before and talk to the weaker sex without blushing.

LAURA ESTHER ANTHONY *Es*

363 Elm St.

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Senior Basketball Team '32, Baseball, Archery.  
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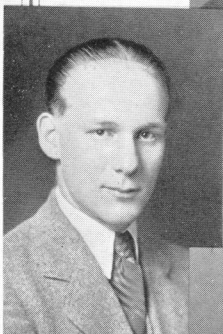
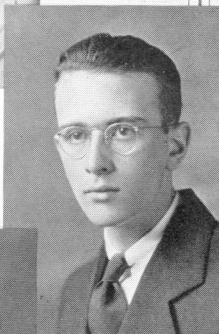
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EUGENE ARCHEY *Gene*

107 Parker St.

*Schools:* Rice, Crane.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer '32.  
*Ambition:* To sell refrigerators to the Eskimos.

MICHAEL ARPANTI *Mike*

16 Oxford St.

*Schools:* Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Spanish.  
*Ambition:* To have one.

ALFRED SHERMAN BACKUS *Al*

1749 East St.

*Schools:* Nugent, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Aviation.  
*Ambition:* To prove that all the world except the United States is in the Temperance Zone.

JAMES BAKER *Jimmy*

257 East St.

*Schools:* Mercer, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Debating '29-'30, *Student's Pen* '29-'30-'31, Advertising '31-'32.  
*Activities:* Traffic '29-'30, Advertising Staff of *Year Book*.  
*Ambition:* To get Gandhi's goat.

MARJORIE BALL *Marjie*

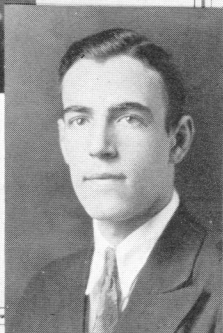
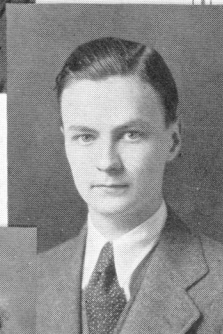
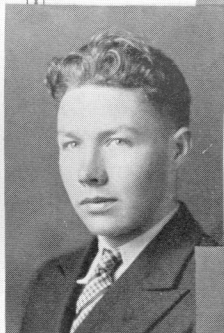
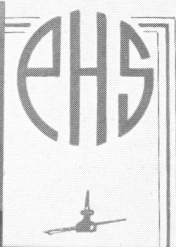
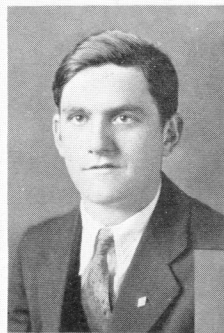
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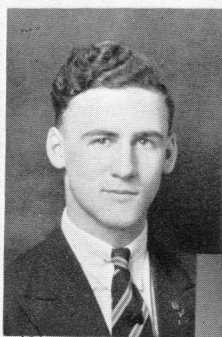
*Schools:* Rice, Mercer.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic, Posture.  
*Activities:* Traffic, Editorial Staff of *Year Book* (History Committee), Basketball, Senior Play.  
*Ambition:* To find the missing link.

DONALD EDWARD BANSLEY *Don*

64 Linden St.

*Schools:* Pomeroy, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Varsity, Art Appreciation.  
*Activities:* Traffic, Football '31.  
*Ambition:* Motorcycle Policeman.



VICTOR FRANCIS BARBER *Vic*

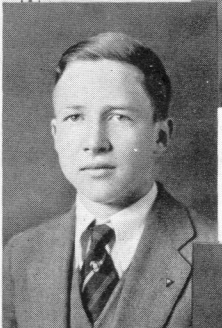
Bryant St.

*Schools:* Stearns, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* *Student's Pen*, Posture, Dramatic, Science.  
*Activities:* Home Room Secretary '29-'30, Treasurer of Dramatic Club.  
*Ambition:* You'd be surprised.

CHARLES A. BARNES *Mayor*

17½ Lincoln St.

*Schools:* Mercer.  
*Clubs:* Machine, Senior Hi-Y.  
*Ambition:* To have a girl in every port.

PAUL C. BEAMAN *Squirt*

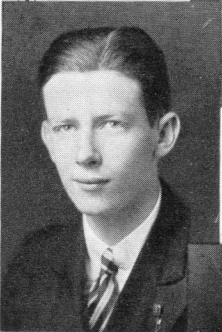
40 Woodleigh Ave.

*Schools:* Lebanon High.  
*Clubs:* French, Torch Hi-Y.  
*Activities:* High School Reporter for *Eagle*, Senior Play Ticket Committee.  
*Ambition:* To be a *good* newspaper man!

ERNESTINE E. BENCE *Ernie*

24 McArthur St.

*Schools:* Bartlett, Tucker.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Ring Committee, Editorial Staff of *Year Book*, History Committee, Who's Who Committee, Traffic Officer '31, Typewriting Contest '30-'31-'32, Shorthand Contest '31-'32, Typewriting and Shorthand Awards.  
*Ambition:* To do my best always.

JACK BENNETT *Jack*

68 William St.

*Schools:* Dawes, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Radio.  
*Activities:* Orchestra, Band, Class Day Committee.  
*Ambition:* To make "John D" look like ten cents.

WALTER J. BIETY *Walt*

14 Parker St.

*Schools:* Mercer.  
*Clubs:* Senior Hi-Y.  
*Activities:* Senior Play Ticket Committee.  
*Ambition:* To get my hands on a diploma.

ALBERT EDWARD BISHOP *Al*

23 Westover St.

*Schools:* Plunkett, B. S. C. C., Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* President U. F. C., Glee.  
*Ambition:* To choose the career I was meant for.

BARBARA BLAKE *Bob*

190 Appleton Ave.

*Schools:* Greenfield High.  
*Clubs:* Glee.  
*Activities:* Archery, Basketball, School Musical Organization Concert.  
*Ambition:* To be a social reformer.

## JANE BLISS

30 Crofut St.

*Schools:* Redfield, Miss Mill's, Miss Hall's.  
*Clubs:* Modern Literature.  
*Activities:* Squad Leader.  
*Ambition:* To see a girl get Mr. Lynch angry.

EDWARD BONNIVIER *Ed*

91 Harvard St.

*Schools:* Crane.  
*Clubs:* Varsity.  
*Activities:* Football '29, Basketball '31-'32, Baseball '31-'32.  
*Ambition:* To find out whether the Basque shirts were made in Sing Sing or Leavenworth.

WILLIAM R. BOOS *Bill*

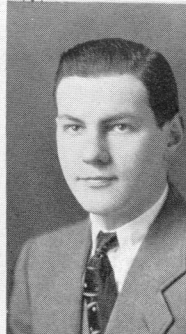
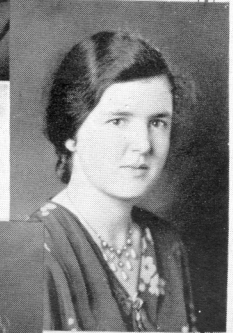
102 Lenox Ave.

*Schools:* Plunkett, Russel, Pontoosuc.  
*Ambition:* To be Civil Service Commissioner.

NORMA ELIZABETH BORE *Numa*

136 Brown St.

*Schools:* Crane, Rice, Mercer.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Home Room Secretary '31-'32, Shorthand and Typewriting Awards.  
*Ambition:* To be able to get a position before I'm too old to work.



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### MURIEL VIRGINIA BOUDREAU *Mer*

20 Winter St.

*Schools:* Rice, Mercer.

*Clubs:* Dramatic.

*Activities:* Traffic '31, Basketball '31-'32, Shorthand and Typewriting Awards, Typewriting Contest '30.

*Ambition:* To be Russ Colombo's extraordinary girl.

### MARION BOULOGNE *Boloney*

20 Congress St.

*Schools:* Dawes, Stearns, Rice, Crane, Plunkett.

*Clubs:* Etiquette.

*Activities:* Squad Leader '31.

*Ambition:* To be an old maid.

### SAM BOXER

16 Glenwood Ave.

*Schools:* Tucker, Rice, Mercer.

*Clubs:* Debating '29-'30, *Student's Pen*.

*Activities:* Home Room Secretary '29-'30-'31, Junior Prom Decorating Committee, Joke Editor of *Student's Pen* '31, Sport Editor of *Student's Pen* '32, Secretary of *Student's Pen* '30-'31.

*Ambition:* To pick flies out of sugar with boxing gloves on.

### HELEN BRAY *Honey*

28 Monroe St.

*Schools:* Bartlett, Tucker.

*Clubs:* Home Hygiene, Etiquette, Posture.

*Activities:* Usher for Senior Play.

*Ambition:* To see a Mickey Mouse comedy with Mr. Canavan as the hero.

### FREDERICK SHEPARD BRAZEE, JR. *Son*

63 Pollock Ave.

*Schools:* Dawes, Plunkett.

*Clubs:* *Student's Pen*, Torch Hi-Y.

*Activities:* Adver. Staff *Student's Pen* '29-'30-'31-'32, Traffic Of. '30-'31-'32, Asst. Mgr. Football '30, Mgr. Basketball '31, Track Team '31, Band, Orchestra, Berk. Co. Orchestra, Cheer Leader '32, Bus. Mgr. *Student's Pen* '31-'32, Junior Prom Refreshment Com., Senior Play Com., Class Play, Bus. Mgr. Class Play, Bus. Mgr. *Year Book*.

*Ambition:* To prove to Miss Prediger that "Donkey Dust" makes a good filling.

### JEANNETTE BREWER

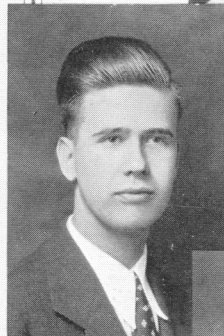
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*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.

*Clubs:* Way Me, Tri-Hi '30-'31-'32.

*Activities:* Squad Leader, Chairman of Play Committee, Play Day '32.

*Ambition:* To be a fish.



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HARRIET EVELYN BRIDGE *Clownie*

Longview Ave., Hinsdale, Mass.

*Schools:* Mittineague Grammar, Hinsdale Grammar, Plunkett.*Clubs:* Posture '30, Dramatic, Modern Literature.*Activities:* Torch Gi-Y, Vice-Pres. Torch Gi-Y '31-'32, Track '31, Swimming '31-'32, Baseball '32, Basketball '30-'31-'32, Traffic Of. '30, Squad Leader '31-'32, Junior Prom Decorating Com., Usher at February, 1932 Graduation.*Ambition:* To dive against Marjorie Renne in the 1936 Olympics.EDWARD HENRY BROCKWAY *Ed*

96 Lyman St.

*Schools:* Hibbard, Crane, Dawes.*Clubs:* Varsity.*Activities:* Football '30-'31, Mgr. Senior Class Team, Traffic '29.*Ambition:* To travel and see the world.DORIS E. BRUNDAGE *Dodi*

South Main St., Lanesboro, Mass.

*Schools:* Dalton, Mercer, Clermont, Minneola High School, Clermont, Florida.*Clubs:* Posture, Glee.*Ambition:* To be manager of a chain of "Dutch Kitchens."RUSSEL BRUNDIGE *Russ*

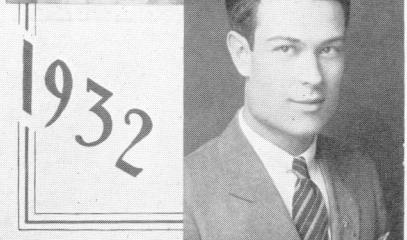
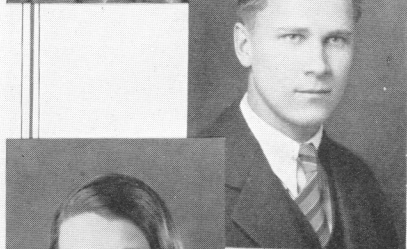
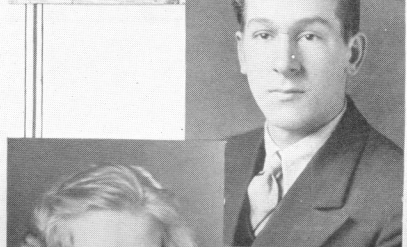
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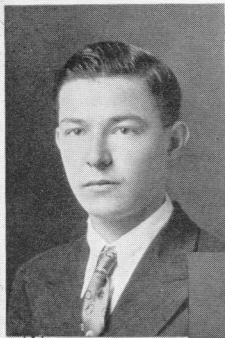
*Schools:* Redfield, Pomeroy.*Clubs:* Posture '29.*Activities:* Hockey '30-'31.*Ambition:* To marry a girl with lots of money.ELINOR MARGARET BUCK *El*

40 Woodleigh Ave.

*Schools:* Liberty, School St., White St., Forest Park.*Clubs:* Dramatic, Glee.*Activities:* Home Room Secretary '31, Class Secretary '30-'31, Basketball '31-'32, Archery '32.*Ambition:* To be a success in life!ROBERT CANFIELD *Bob Indian*

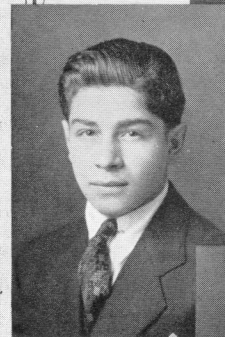
46 Hazelwood Terrace.

*Schools:* Redfield, Dawes, Hibbard.*Clubs:* Varsity, Hi-Y, Vice-President of Hi-Y.*Activities:* Student Council '30-'31-'32, Class Vice-President '30-'31, Class President '32, Football '30-'31, Track '31-'32, Basketball '29, Junior Prom Decorating Committee.*Ambition:* To chase rum runners.

AMERICO VESPUCCI CANTARELLA *Cantor*

768 East St.

*Schools:* Russel of Detroit, Mich., Nugent, Plunkett.  
*Ambition:* To be President of the United States.

ROBERT CARMEL *Bob*

57 Calumet St.

*Schools:* Russel, Pontoosuc.  
*Ambition:* To be able to read Burke's speech with ease and interest.

JOSEPH CARNEVALE *Joe*

331 Fenn St.

*Schools:* Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Photography Division of Science Club.  
*Activities:* Model Mathematical Student.  
*Ambition:* Electrical Engineer, incidentally Einstein II.

JOSEPHINE ELIZABETH CARNEVALE *Jo*

45 Parker St.

*Schools:* Rice, Mercer, Crane.  
*Activities:* Archery.  
*Ambition:* To see the day when Case becomes the famous henpecked husband of Lanesboro.

MARJORIE CARPENTER *Marge*

31 Perrine.

*Schools:* Horace Mann, Newton, Mass., West Junior High, Watertown, Mass., Adams School, Newton.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Ambition:* To shrink a couple of feet.

EUGENE DAVID CASE *Gene*

Lanesboro, Mass.

*Schools:* Berkshire Grammar, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Glee.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer '29-'30-'31-'32, Junior Prom Refreshment Committee, Chairman of Ring Committee that established Standard Ring, Senior A Interclass Baseball Team '32.  
*Ambition:* To go at least one month with one girl.

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EUGENE WILLIAM CATALANO *Gene*

135 Second St.

*Schools:* Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Torch Hi-Y.  
*Activities:* Baseball '31, Junior Prom Decorating Committee.  
*Ambition:* Electrical Engineer.

LUCINDA RAYMOND CHAPIN *Lu*

18 Elizabeth St.

*Schools:* East New Boston, Redfield, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Basketball, Baseball.  
*Ambition:* To be heroine of New Boston.

SAVERIO ANTHONY CHIDO *Sub*

67 Elm St.

*Schools:* Briggs, Nugent, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Varsity.  
*Activities:* Football '29-'30-'31, Hockey '30-'31, Ticket Committee for Varsity Club, Chairman Work Com. for Varsity Dance, Traffic Officer '31-'32.  
*Ambition:* To get thin.

WILLIAM JOSEPH CHRISTOFARO *Bill*

273 Newell St.

*Schools:* Nugent, Dawes, Hibbard.  
*Activities:* Senior Baseball Team.  
*Ambition:* To travel around United States.

SOPHIE CHRISTIANSEN *Pussy*

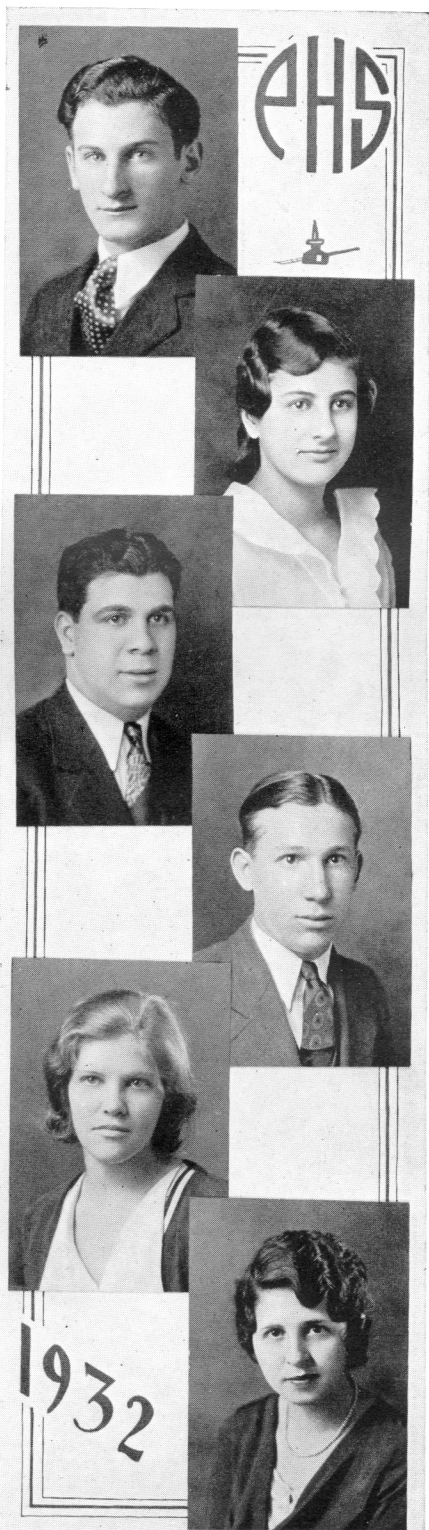
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*Schools:* Stearns, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Tap Dancing, Posture.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer '29.  
*Ambition:* To have a bungalow on Greylock Mt.

ROSEMARY CODELLA *Merci*

162 Onota St.

*Schools:* Bartlett, Tucker.  
*Clubs:* Tap Dancing, Posture.  
*Activities:* Basketball, Typewriting Awards, Underwood and Remington Certificates, Royal Pin.  
*Ambition:* To prove to Mr. Murray that Mary Ida Grace Joy Moore is a "smart-aleck."





ANN LOUISE CODEY *Weezer*

215 Woodleigh Ave.

*Schools:* Stearns, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic, Posture.  
*Ambition:* To own a home in Beverly Hills next to Zazu Pitts.



HELEN TERESA COONS

40 Hollister St.

*Schools:* Rice, Mercer, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic, *Student's Pen '30*.  
*Activities:* Junior Prom Decorating Com., Ring Com., Play Com., Advertising Staff of *Year Book*, *Year Book Com.*, Class Will, Class Day Com., Student's Council.  
*Ambition:* To keep in touch with all my class pals after graduation.

IRENE EVELYN COTY *Rene*

1347 Lebanon Ave.

*Schools:* Stearns, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Ambition:* To be a nurse.

DOROTHY C. CRAIK *Dot*

1228 North St.

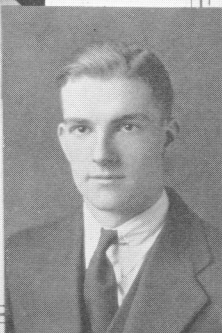
*Schools:* Pontoosuc.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Junior Prom Ticket Committee.  
*Ambition:* To go places and see things.



HELEN ESTHER CROWLEY

Pontoosuc Lake.

*Schools:* Crane.  
*Clubs:* Posture, Home Nursing, Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Junior Prom Refreshment Committee.  
*Ambition:* To be referee at all the future Bray-Young fights.

JOHN FARRELL DAVISON *Jack*

14 Dodge Ave.

*Schools:* Plunkett, Dawes.  
*Clubs:* Senior Hi-Y.  
*Activities:* Assistant Treasurer of Senior Hi-Y.  
*Ambition:* To convince Mr. Joyce that I wrote my own topic.

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RAYMOND PAUL DEBLOIS *Dotson*

75 First St.

*Schools:* Plunkett.

*Clubs:* Glee.

*Activities:* Varsity Hockey '30-'31, Com. on Band Uniforms, Member of school orchestra and band '30-'31-'32, Berkshire Co. Orchestra '30-'31.

*Ambition:* To make Rudy Wiedoft look sick on Sax.

VICTOR VINCENT DEFAZIO *Vic*

106 Eagle St.

*Schools:* Tucker, Plunkett.

**Clubs:** Student's Pen, Leaders' Class.

*Activities:* Junior Prom Refreshment Com., Guide at Dedication of High School and Teachers' Convention '31.

*Ambition:* To be a woman hater.

LOIS JANETTE DENISON *Lo Wode*

12 Glenwood Ave.

*Schools:* Rice, Mercer.

*Clubs:* Posture, Dramatic.

**Activities:** Squad Leader, Senior Play Cast, Editorial Staff of *Year Book*, Chairman History Committee, Class Activities Committee.

*Ambition:* To be a horse back rider.

RUTH PAULA DENNO *Skees*

Pittsfield General Delivery, Pontoosuc Lake.

*Schools:* Balance Rock, Pontoosuc.

*Clubs:* Debating, Posture '30, Etiquette '31.

*Ambition:* To run a special school for teachers' children.

GRACE DEVOE *Blondie*

95 Bay State Road.

*Schools:* Redfield, Pomeroy.

**Activities:** Treasurer '30-'31-'32, Chairman of Ticket Committee for Junior Prom, *Year Book* Committee, Chairman of Prophecy Committee.

*Ambition:* To attend a commencement ball at Annapolis.

JAMES T. DIAMOND *Curly*

278 Columbus Ave.

*Schools:* Crane, Tucker.

*Clubs:* Glee.

*Ambition:* To be an aviator.



PAUL WINSLOW DIXON, JR. *Albie*

62 Edward Ave.

*Schools:* Dawes, Public 19 New York, Hibbard, Plunkett.*Clubs:* Varsity.*Activities:* Vice-Pres. Varsity Club, Varsity Football '30-'31-'32, Varsity Basketball '30-'31-'32, Varsity Baseball '30-'32, Chairman of Orchestra Com. for Varsity Dance, Decorating Committee for Varsity Dance.*Ambition:* To give Coach Stewart a saddle so he can ride me better.OLGA VALENTINE DURI *Augy*

7 King St.

*Schools:* Briggs, Bartlett, Joseph Tucker Junior High.*Clubs:* Posture '29-'30, Dramatic '31-'32.*Activities:* Corridor Monitor '31, Tennis '31, Typewriting and Shorthand Awards '30-'32, Editorial Staff of *Year Book*, Chairman of Who's Who Committee, Statistics Committee '32.*Ambition:* To become an artist.ROBERT LEROY EBY *Sparks*

100 Holmes Road.

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.*Clubs:* Glee, Orchestra, Radio and Electricity Clubs.*Activities:* Reception Com. for Junior Prom, Pianist in Orchestra '30-'31-'32, Glee Club '31, President of Radio and Electricity Club '31-'32, charge of Electrical Assembly, charge of Music for Senior Play.*Ambition:* To find the lost chord within the fourth dimension.WILLIAM J. ELLIOTT *W. J.*

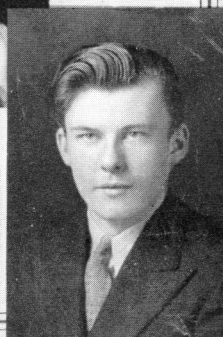
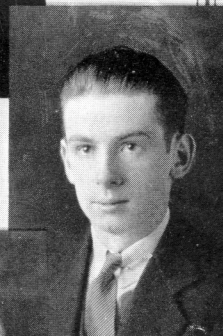
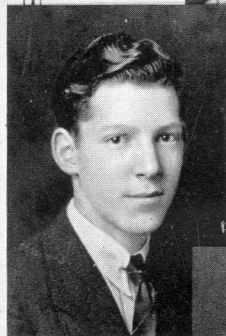
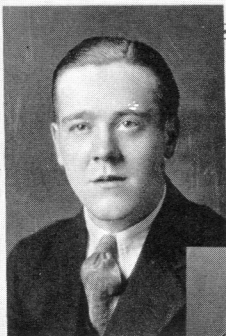
88 Bay State Road.

*Schools:* Redfield, Pomeroy.*Clubs:* *Student Pen* Advertising.*Activities:* Manager of Track '31.*Ambition:* To know history as Mr. Murray does.CAROLINE EMERSON *Billie*

8 Kenilworth St.

*Schools:* Hinsdale Grammar, Dalton High.*Ambition:* To boss rather than to be bossed.FRANCIS J. FAHEY *Fran*

38 Winter St.

*Schools:* Plunkett, Rice, Mercer, Crane.*Clubs:* Machine.*Activities:* Traffic Officer.*Ambition:* To be an accountant.

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BONNIE THERESAMARIE FEIL *Bon*

150 Francis Ave.

*Schools:* Tucker Grammar, Plunkett Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Posture, Etiquette, Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer '30-'31.  
*Ambition:* To be a radio announcer for the Listerine Program.

MARY GRACE FENWICK *May*

127 Elmer Ave.

*Schools:* Holmes, Crane, Tucker, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Posture '29, Etiquette '31-'32.  
*Activities:* Archery '32.  
*Ambition:* To own a blue roadster.

ELLWOOD FINCH *Curly*

56 Adelaide Ave.

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.  
*Clubs:* Dramatics '31-'32.  
*Ambition:* To find out what my ambition really is.

ELINOR H. FINN *Betty*

248 South Appleton Ave.

*Schools:* St. Joseph's High School.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Ambition:* To live in Chicago!

CHARLOTTE COLLINS FLYNN *Charlie*

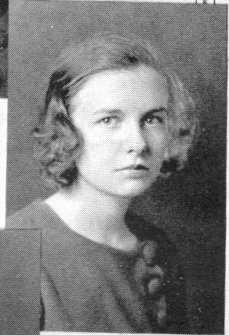
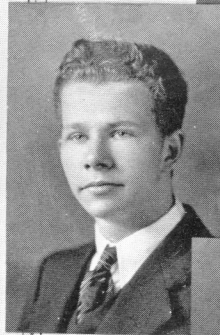
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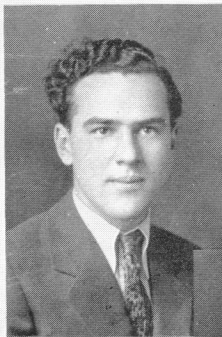
*Schools:* Briggs, Bartlett, Pomeroy, Plunkett, Central High.  
*Clubs:* Office Machine Club.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer.  
*Ambition:* To be an aviatrix.

WILLIAM J. FOLEY *Cob*

45 Acorn St.

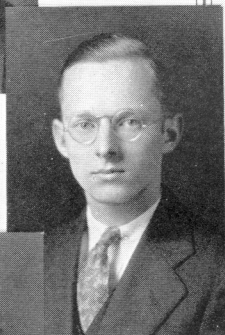
*Schools:* Bartlett, Tucker, Mercer, St. Joseph.  
*Clubs:* Spanish '31-'32.  
*Ambition:* To become a peroxide blonde . . . (By a flaming RED HEAD).



HOWARD FOSTER *Honsy*

27 Holmes Road

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard, Tucker.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer.  
*Ambition:* To sell Mahatma Gandhi a pair of RED SPATS.

DARWIN C. GALLUP *Pasquelli*

50 Pollock Ave.

*Schools:* Redfield, Dawes, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* French.  
*Activities:* Torch Hi-Y, Vice-Pres. of Torch Hi-Y '31-'32, Staff of *Year Book*.  
*Ambition:* To be able to keep from blushing.

BEATRICE MARY GAUVREAU *Bee*

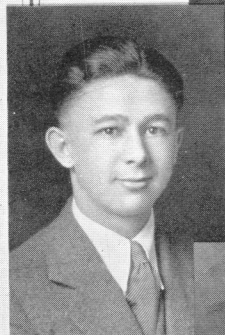
12 Wellington Ave.

*Schools:* Mercer.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic '31-'32.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer '31-'32, Basketball '31-'32, Baseball '32.  
*Ambition:* To prove to Miss McLaughlin that I can participate in sports without getting hurt.

REBECCA GIFFORD *Bec*

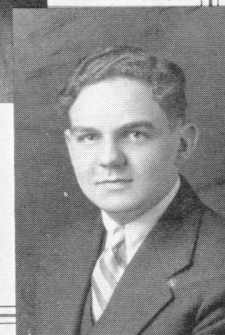
65 William St.

*Schools:* Miss Mills's School  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Ambition:* To ride up the Milky Way on "Pegasus."

LEWIS GILARDE *Bimp*

292 Merrill Road.

*Schools:* Nugent, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer.  
*Ambition:* To Live, Love, Laugh.

DONALD BURROWS GOEWEEY *Donny*

20 Gordon St.

*Schools:* Dawes, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer '29-'31, Senior Hi-Y, Band, Orchestra.  
*Ambition:* To have an M.A. after my name like our good friend John E. Joyce, Jr., M.A.

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## OLGA MARY GOVONI

534 West St.

*Schools:* Briggs, Pomeroy Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Posture.

BETTY GRAND-LIENARD *Granny*

226 Dawes Ave.

*Schools:* Miss Mills  
*Clubs:* Modern Literature.  
*Activities:* Year Book Committee (Prophecy Division).  
*Ambition:* To do something no one else ever did.

JOHN D. GREEN *Johnnie*

112 Stratford Ave.

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Glee, Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Chairman of Refreshment Committee of Junior Prom, Home Room Secretary-Senior Year, Oratorical Contest '32, Class Play.  
*Ambition:* To be a success.

WILLIAM JOSEPH GREENWOOD *Doc*

152 Appleton Ave.

*Schools:* Pontoosuc, Redfield, Pomeroy, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Debating '29-'32, Students' Council '30-'32, Torch Hi-Y '30-'32.  
*Activities:* Students' Council '30, Pres. Students' Council '31-'32, Ch. Executive Com., '31-'32, Assembly Com. '31, Ch. Traffic Com., Debating Club '29, Sec. '30, Pres. '31-'32, Member Debating Teams '30-'32, Capt. '31-'32, Class Pres. '31, General Ch. Junior Prom, Oratorical Contest '30-'32, Winner '32, Honorable Mention '31, Athletic Council '29-'32, Sec. '30-'32, Torch Hi-Y '30-'32, Sec. '32, Class Play, Head Cheerleader '30-'32, Chief of Special Traffic, Mock Trial '30-'31.  
*Ambition:* To protect myself while eating grapefruit.

## BETTY M. GRIFFIN

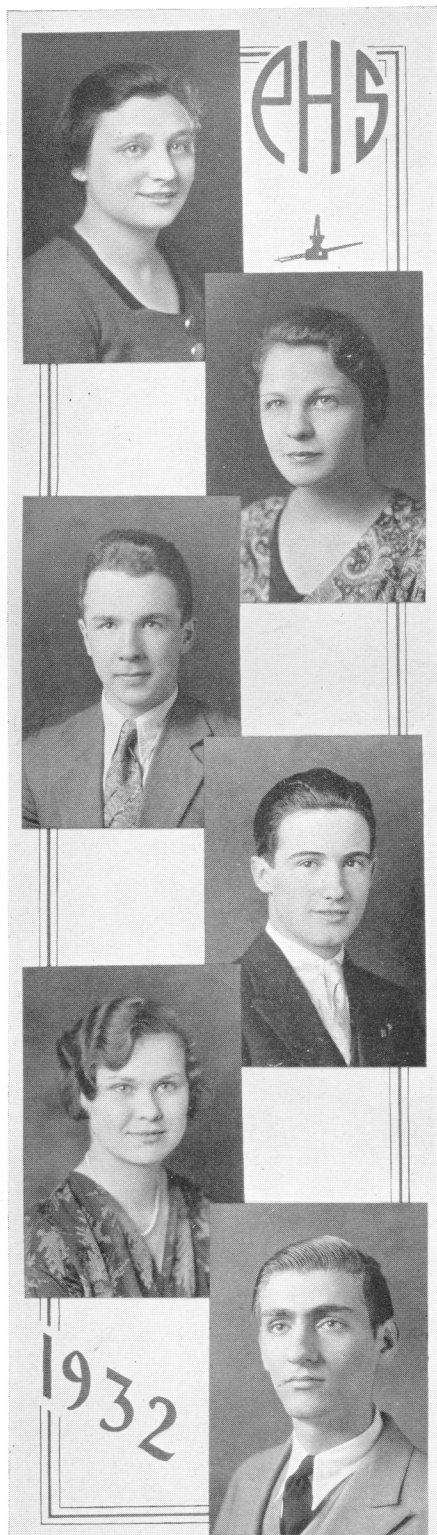
29 South Merriam St.

*Schools:* Redfield, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Ambition:* To see the world.

## ANTHONY J. GULL

1 Pleasant St.

*Schools:* Rice, Mercer Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Varsity.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer '30-'31, Football '30-'31, Track '31-'32.  
*Ambition:* To work in a canning factory canning cans.

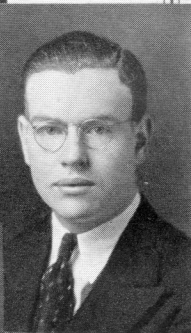




MARGARET HARRINGTON *Peggy*

318 Williams St.

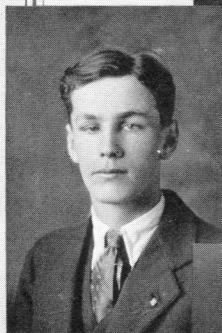
*Schools:* Crane.  
*Clubs:* Glee.  
*Activities:* Basketball '32, Baseball, Usher at Senior Play.  
*Ambition:* To get my two eskimo pies from Mr. Canavan.



THOMAS FRED HARRINGTON *Tom*

350 Williams St.

*Schools:* Crane.  
*Clubs:* Debating.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer '31-'32.  
*Ambition:* To be somebody.



JAMES J. HARRISON *Jay Si*

25 Woodbine Ave.

*Schools:* Bartlett, Tucker.  
*Clubs:* Glee.  
*Ambition:* To see Mr. Herberg puzzled over Mastery Problems.



THOMAS RICHARD HARRISON *Harp*

25 Woodbine Ave.

*Schools:* Bartlett, Tucker.  
*Ambition:* To wake up without feeling tired.



OLIVE E. HAWLEY *Red*

74 Edward Ave.

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.  
*Clubs:* Music Appreciation, Way-Me.  
*Activities:* Basketball, Archery.  
*Ambition:* To become skilled in one outdoor sport.



DOROTHEA MARGARET HAYN

90 Commonwealth Ave.

*Clubs:* Posture.  
*Activities:* Band.  
*Ambition:* To pass College Board Examinations.

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EDWARD CHARLES HICKEY *Ed*

77 West Housatonic St.

- Schools:* Rice, Mercer.  
*Clubs:* Senior Hi-Y '30-'32, Student Council '29-'32, Varsity Club '31-'32.  
*Activities:* Pres. Junior Class '30-'31, Vice-Pres. Senior Class '32, Pres. Varsity Club '31-'32, Sec. Senior Hi-Y '31-'32, Executive Com. of Student Council '31-'32, Basketball '31-'32, Baseball '30-'31-'32.  
*Ambition:* To be a caddy at the Springside Country Club.

TAIMI HIIRONEN *Hi*

396 Fenn St.

- Schools:* St. Johnsbury Academy.  
*Clubs:* Tri-Hi Club '31, Posture.  
*Activities:* Basketball, Baseball.

ELIZABETH HOGERTY *Pat*

87 Deming St.

- Schools:* St. Joseph.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Ambition:* To walk on the edge, without falling off.

JEANNE HORELLEY *Bobs*

50 Prospect St.

- Schools:* Tucker Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Music Appreciation.  
*Activities:* Corridor Monitor '31, Typewriting and Short-hand Awards, Editorial Staff of *Year Book*—Who's Who Committee, Class History Com.  
*Ambition:* To have it 2:30 all the time.

## WALKER J. HOSMER

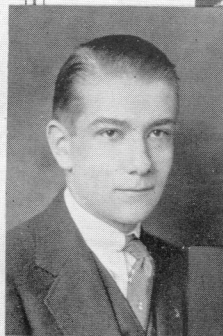
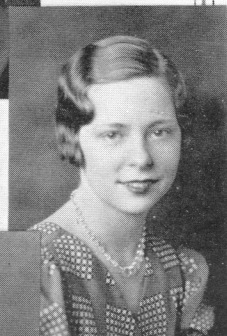
15 South Merriam St.

- Schools:* Pomeroy, Redfield, Pomeroy Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Senior Hi-Y '31-'32.  
*Activities:* Advertising Staff of *Year Book*, Circulation Manager of *Year Book*, Senior Class Play, Baseball '31.  
*Ambition:* To live long enough to see the 18th Amendment repealed.

DORIS ELIZABETH HUNT *Dodo*

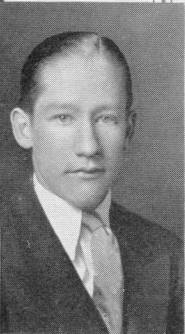
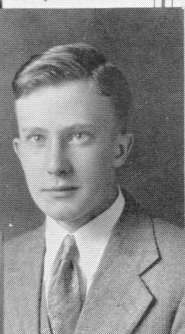
915 Holmes Road

- Schools:* Holmes, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Junior Prom Reception Committee, Secretary of Senior B Class.  
*Ambition:* To speak loud enough for people to hear me.





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MARY L. HUSKA *Sandie*

19 Curtin Ave.

- Schools:* Russell Grammar, Mercer Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Glee.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer '30.  
*Ambition:* To have a one-hour school day with 60 minutes off for lunch.

NORMAN ISHLER *Prof*

100 Livingston Ave.

- Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.  
*Clubs:* Science Club—Photography Club Division.  
*Activities:* Orchestra, Band, Class Activities Committee '32.  
*Ambition:* To make worms signal when they turn.

STELLA R. D. IVANOWICZ *Stell*

Windsor, Mass.

- Schools:* Crane Community, Windsor; Crane Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Posture.  
*Ambition:* To convince Miss Prediger that I always study U. S. History.

EDWARD JOHNSON *Bar*

86 North John St.

- Schools:* Briggs, Bartlett, Tucker, Pomeroy.  
*Ambition:* Get up early so I can have a longer day to loaf.

ESTHER LOUISE JOHNSON *Pest*

Hancock, Mass.

- Schools:* Wyomanok Grammar, Stephentown, New York; Eureka Grammar, Zohl, North Dakota; Pomeroy Junior High; Gorton Grammar, Hancock, Mass.  
*Clubs:* Posture.  
*Ambition:* To be a spy in the next war.

JENNIE ELIZABETH JONES *Jen*

93 Marion Ave.

- Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.  
*Clubs:* Tri-Hi '31-'32, Student Council '32, Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Home Room Secretary, Squad Leader, Banquet Committee, Typewriting Contest '32, Shorthand Contest '32, Typewriting Awards, Archery.  
*Ambition:* To travel with Richard Halliburton.

GEORGE KELSEY *Junie*

22 Gordon St.

*Schools:* Plunkett, Dawes, Redfield.  
*Clubs:* Hi-Y.  
*Activities:* Orchestra.  
*Ambition:* To be an aviator.

## EUNICE V. R. KENNEDY

28 Bartlett Ave.

*Schools:* Bryant, Great Barrington; St. Joseph.  
*Clubs:* Tri-Hi, Posture.  
*Activities:* Archery.  
*Ambition:* To be teacher's pet.

PAULINE KILIAN *Polly*

38 Putnam Ave.

*Schools:* Redfield, Pomeroy Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Posture '29-'30.  
*Activities:* Home Nursing Class, Junior Prom Committee, Class Ring Committee, Class Day Committee, Class Secretary '32, Tri-Hi Club.  
*Ambition:* To invent a machine by which the pupils of Mr. Lynch may register their mental attitudes daily.

CATHRINE M. KILLEEN *Kay*

274 William St.

*Schools:* Redfield, Pomeroy Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Posture, Home Nursing, First Aid.  
*Activities:* Class History, Usher at Class Play.  
*Ambition:* To prove to Mr. Lynch that light (which travels in straight lines) can't be bent around corners to pick apple blossoms.

HERBERT KIMBER *Herb*

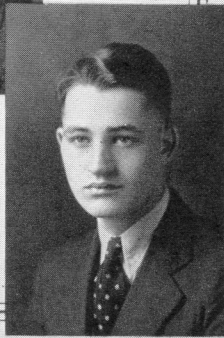
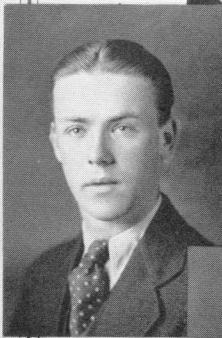
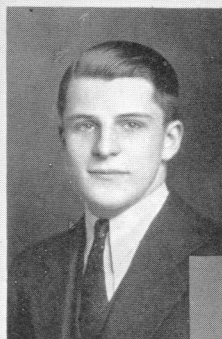
34 Holly St.

*Schools:* Pomeroy.  
*Ambition:* To be able to spend money like water.

BENJAMIN KINCAID *Ben*

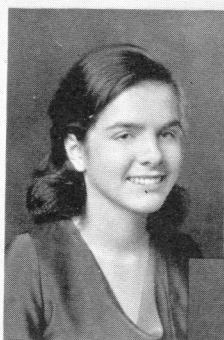
West Housatonic St.

*Schools:* Briggs, Bartlett, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Orchestra, Glee Club.  
*Activities:* Track '31-'32.  
*Ambition:* To install an efficient and noiseless ventilating system in the auditorium of Pittsfield High School.



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CHARLOTTE MARY KING *Boots*

P. O. Box 848.

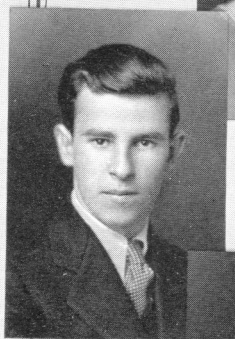
*Schools:* Westfield High School.  
*Clubs:* Tri-Hi, Dramatic.  
*Ambition:* To graduate from college.



ELAINE G. KNOLLMEYER *Sud*

59 Holmes Road.

*Schools:* Dawes, Plunkett, Troup J. H. Hillhouse High, New Haven, Conn.  
*Clubs:* Posture, Hiking Club '30, Tri-Y '29-'30-'31, Der Deutsche Verein '30-'31, New Haven, Conn.  
*Activities:* Archery, Baseball, Who's Who Committee, Class Will Committee.  
*Ambition:* To follow in the footsteps of Richard Halliburton.



HERBERT KOSCHER *Frog*

20 Walnut St.

*Schools:* Bartlett, Tucker.  
*Ambition:* To be as fast as Charles "Scrub" Kidney.



LAURETTA LAURIN *Frenchy*

108 Elizabeth St.

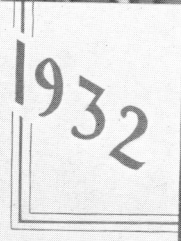
*Schools:* Crane, Rice, St. Anne Convent, Redfield, Pomeroy.  
*Ambition:* To grow up.



CLARA LAVIN

23 Howard St.

*Schools:* Redfield, Dawes, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Posture.  
*Activities:* Decorating Committee for Junior Prom, Tennis, Basketball, Archery, Swimming '30-'31, Usher at Senior Play.  
*Ambition:* To write a history minus dates, wars, and battles.



MARION ETHEL LEWIS *Mary Lou*

West Otis, Mass.

*Schools:* West Otis Grammar, Plunkett Junior High.  
*Ambition:* To succeed.

AUGUSTA RHEA LIPSCHITZ *Gussie*

458 South St.

- Schools:* Dawes, Bartlett, Tucker, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Posture '29, Music Appreciation '31, Dramatic '32.  
*Activities:* Advertising Staff of Year Book.  
*Ambition:* To be able to decipher Mr. Murray's marking method.

## MARY ELSIE LLEWELLYN

95 Cromwell Ave.

- Schools:* Crane, Pontoosuc.  
*Clubs:* Music Appreciation, Glee.  
*Ambition:* To see everybody spell my last name correctly.

ANNA LOBODA *Ann*

567 Onota St.

- Schools:* Pecks, Russell, Mercer.  
*Clubs:* Etiquette, Posture.  
*Ambition:* To make myself heard.

LEON LOMBARD *Count*

70 Stratford Ave.

- Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard, Orange Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Debating, Varsity.  
*Activities:* Play Com., Picture Com., Class Day Com., Banquet Com., Football '29-'30-'31, Track '32, Traffic Officer '30, Class Play.  
*Ambition:* To be a second George Kojac.

KATHERINE MARIE LONERGAN *Kay*

74 Grove St.

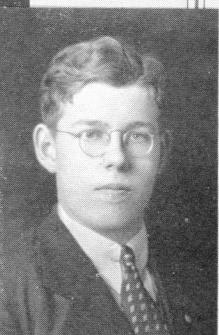
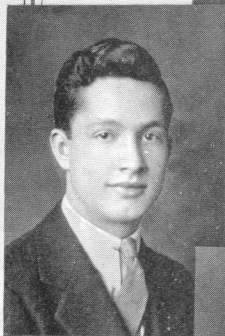
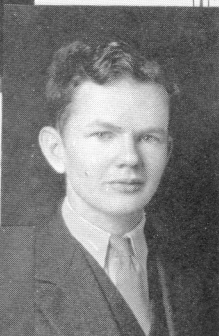
- Schools:* Rice, Crane.  
*Clubs:* Posture.  
*Activities:* Usher at Senior Play in February, Subscription Committee for Year Book, Caps and Gowns Committee.  
*Ambition:* To find the corner around which prosperity hides himself, and to persuade him to give me a break.

WILLIAM C. LORD *Bill*

36 Parker St.

- Schools:* Rice, Crane.  
*Clubs:* Glee.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer '28, Football '28, Track '29.  
*Ambition:* To be successful.





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DORIS E. LOVELESS *Pookey*

83 Elm St.

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard, Our Lady of the Elms Academy, Chicopee, Mass.*Clubs:* Public Speaking, Music Appreciation.*Activities:* Junior Prom Reception Committee, Class of February '32.*Ambition:* To find out whether it was my choice of song or my bass voice that Mr. Lynch didn't like when I sang in his study period.HARVEY J. LOVELESS *Harv*

83 Elm St.

*Schools:* Dawes, Plunkett.*Clubs:* *Student's Pen.**Ambition:* To have one.HAROLD J. MCGLYNN *Clark*

65 South Onota St.

*Schools:* Briggs, Redfield, Pomeroy.*Clubs:* Dramatic.*Activities:* Traffic Officer '29-'30.*Ambition:* Maybe I'll think of one some day.MARGARET MCNICOLL *Miggy*

10 Ensign Ave.

*Schools:* Crane.*Clubs:* Posture '29, Dramatic '31-'32, *Student's Pen* '29.*Activities:* Advertising Staff of Year Book, Usher at Senior Play.*Ambition:* To convince Miss Prediger that history charts are unnecessary.HARRY FOSTER McRELL, JR. *Goofy*

59 Commonwealth Ave.

*Schools:* Redfield, Pomeroy, Plunkett.*Clubs:* Debating, Torch Hi-Y.*Activities:* Staff of the *Year Book*.*Ambition:* Sadly lacking.JOHN H. MACKIE, JR. *Johnnie*

59 Livingston Ave.

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.*Clubs:* Radio.*Activities:* Home Room Collection '30-'31, Traffic Officer '31-'32.*Ambition:* To get Hawaii on a one-tube television set.

JOHN MAJCHROWSKI *Johnny*

*Schools:* Pontoosuc.  
*Clubs:* Photography.  
*Ambition:* Big Game Hunter and Explorer.

ROBERT E. MANN *Bob*

Lanesboro, Mass.

*Schools:* Lanesboro Grammar, Pontoosuc.  
*Clubs:* Science.  
*Ambition:* To hide inside the fourth dimension.

VIRGINIO MARCHISIO *Mark*

East St.

*Schools:* Crane, Nugent, Hibbard.  
*Clubs:* Varsity.  
*Activities:* Football '31-'32, Track '31-'32, Hockey '30-'31.  
*Ambition:* Safecoaching all American End.

EDWARD MARTIN *Eddie*

748 West Housatonic St.

*Schools:* Stearns, Crane.  
*Activities:* Baseball '32.  
*Ambition:* To learn Mr. Murray's marking code.

VIVIAN A. MELA *Viv*

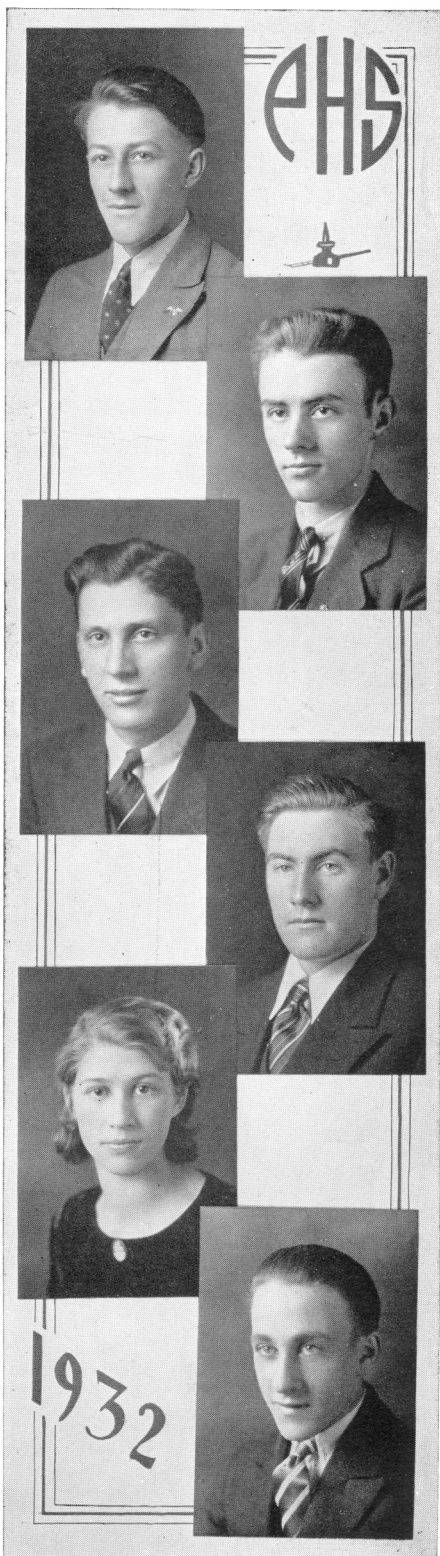
114 Elizabeth St.

*Schools:* Rice, Hibbard, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Squad leader, Basketball, Track Meet.  
*Ambition:* To have a pair of roller skates to get to the next period before class begins.

GEORGE MENDEL *Dorty*

94 Bay State Road

*Schools:* Dawes, Redfield, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Chemistry.  
*Ambition:* To take a P. G. and take the only subject I have not yet taken.



JOSEPH MENDOCHA *Mendy*

555 Onota St.

*Schools:* Pecks, Russel, Mercer.  
*Activities:* Hockey '30-'31, Golf '32.  
*Ambition:* To attain success.

GERTRUDE MICHEL *Gert*

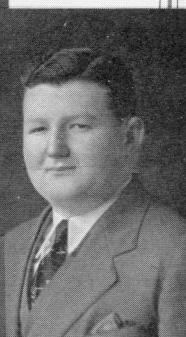
41 Wood Ave.

*Schools:* Liberty St., Armory St., Springfield, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Health, Home Nursing, Squad Leader.  
*Ambition:* To continue being Clara Sedgwick's pal.

WALTER FRED MICHEL *Bob Walt*

41 Wood Ave.

*Schools:* Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Glee.  
*Activities:* Decorating Committee for Junior Prom, Orchestra, Band.  
*Ambition:* To play a sax in Coon-Sander's Band.

EDWARD J. MICHELSON *Eddie*

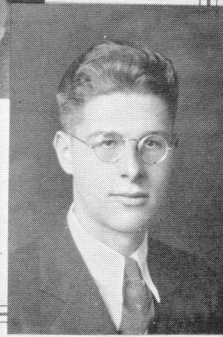
76 Howard St.

*Schools:* Redfield, Pomeroy, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Student's Pen, Debating, Students' Council, Torch Hi-Y.  
*Activities:* *Student's Pen* '29, Soph. Editor '30, Editor-in-Chief of *The Pen* '31-'32, Student Council '30, Ch. of Assembly Com., '31, Executive Com., Debating '29, Secy.-Treas. '30, Vice-Pres. '31, Member of P.H.S. Debating Team '30-'31-'32, Oratorical Contest '30-'31, Torch Hi-Y '29-'30-'31-'32, Junior Prom Ticket and Decorating Com., Traffic Head, Senior Play Com., Senior Play Cast, Publicity Mgr. of Play, Editor-in-Chief of *Class Year Book* Banquet Com., Editor *Penpoints*.  
*Ambition:* To be a big man.

MARGARET L. MILLER *Miggie*

88 Tanner St.

*Schools:* Pontoosuc, Crane.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic, Gi-Y '31-'32.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer '30-'31, Home Room Secy '30.  
*Ambition:* To be maid of honor at the Nichol森-Canfield wedding.



GEORGE MINER

316 North St.

*Schools:* Bartlett, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Posture.

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MARY IDA MOORE *Pest Joy*

25 Danforth Ave.

*Schools:* W. B. Rice, W. F. Bartlett, Tucker Junior High.

*Clubs:* *Student's Pen* '29, Posture '29, Health '32, Home Nursing '32.

*Ambition:* To make the Moore-Murphy Co. a corporation.

SIDNEY CHARLES MOREY *Sid*

15 Marcella Ave.

*Schools:* Nugent, Dawes, Hibbard.

*Clubs:* Torch Hi-Y, *Student's Pen*.

*Activities:* Chairman Class Day Committee, Editorial Staff of *Year Book*—Class Will Committee.

*Ambition:* To know how much I'd want to be alive again if I were dead.

MARGUERITE MUNSON *Marg*

21 Thomson Place

*Schools:* Dawes, Plunkett.

*Clubs:* Tri-Hi '30-'31-'32.

*Activities:* Archery.

*Ambition:* To get "B" in a Latin test.

SADIE MUNZINGER *Sade*

130 Stearns Ave.

*Schools:* Stearns, Redfield, Pomeroy.

*Clubs:* Home Nursing, Health Club.

*Ambition:* Head nurse of an operating room.

MARIELLEN FAITH MURPHY *Murph Faith*

114 Onota St.

*Schools:* Bartlett, Crane, Tucker.

*Clubs:* Tap Dancing, *Student's Pen* '29, Posture.

*Activities:* Basketball '32.

*Ambition:* To prove to all of Mr. Nugent's Bookkeeping classes that "Blink" is the best ink.

SALWAY NAJIMY *Sally Sis*

6 High St.

*Schools:* Dawes, Plunkett.

*Clubs:* Dramatic.

*Activities:* Class Play.

*Ambition:* To do something worthwhile.





### MARJORIE HELEN NASH *Marge*

R. F. D. 2, Box 126, Holmes Road.

*Schools:* Redfield, Dawes, Hibbard.  
*Clubs:* Posture '29-'30-'32, Current Events '31.  
*Activities:* Archery 32.  
*Ambition:* To try to follow Mr. Canavan's advice, "Retire Early."



### ARLENE NEFF *Curly*

161 West Housatonic St.

*Schools:* Plunkett, Dalton High, Greenfield Junior High.  
*Clubs:* *Student's Pen*, Dramatic, Posture.  
*Ambition:* To be able to win an argument with "Vic" Barber.



### ALICE PARKER NEWMAN *Al Allie*

54 East Housatonic St.

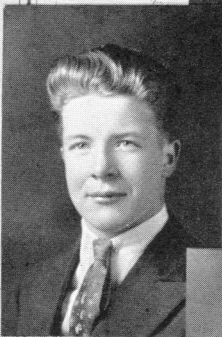
*Schools:* Dawes, Pontoosuc, Hibbard Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Tri-Hi, Posture, Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Senior Play, Basketball '31, Junior A English, Class Play, Typewriting and Shorthand Awards.  
*Ambition:* Second Florence Nightingale.



### ESTHER R. NICHOLSEN *S*

123 Broadview Terrace

*Schools:* Crane.  
*Clubs:* Posture '29-'30, *Student's Pen* Club '29-'30-'31-'32.  
*Activities:* Torch Gi-Y '31-'32, Home Room Treasurer '30-'31, *Year Book* Staff.  
*Ambition:* To be a journalist.



### MILTON LORING NOBLE *Milt*

68 Foote Ave.

*Schools:* Dawes Grammar, Hibbard Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic, Photography, Chemistry.  
*Activities:* Home Room Secretary '31, '32, Traffic Officer '31, '32, Chairman of Science Clubs Assembly.  
*Ambition:* To find that famous corner around which prosperity is hidden.



### ADA NOONAN

146 East St.

*Schools:* Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Tri-Hi.

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WILLIAM NYKORCHUCK *Bill*

17 Watson St.

*Schools:* Russel, Pontoosuc.*Ambition:* To take over Jim Londres.

## MARY PARKER

68 Chickering St.

*Schools:* Dawes, Plunkett.*Clubs:* Dramatic.*Activities:* Junior Prom Reception Committee, Archery.*Ambition:* To convince Mr. Innis that I DO sleep well nights.ROBERT PECK *Moon*

47 South Mountain Road

*Schools:* Morewood, Redfield, Pomeroy.*Ambition:* Bobby Jones' Rival.MARY M. PELKEY *Pelk*

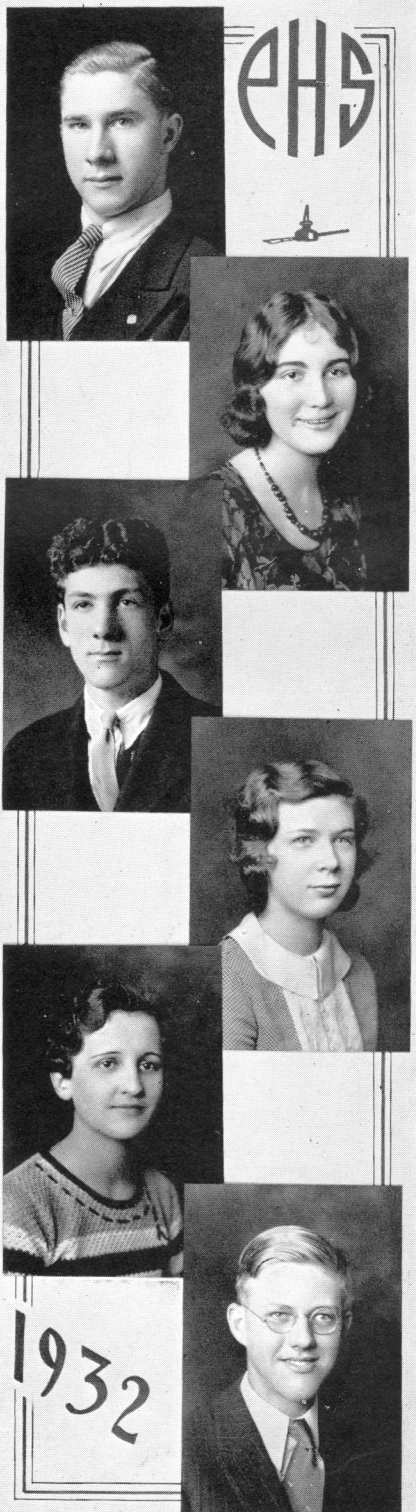
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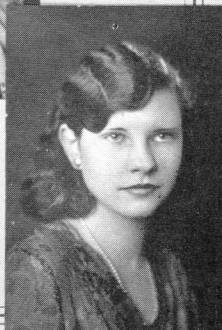
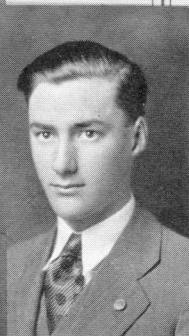
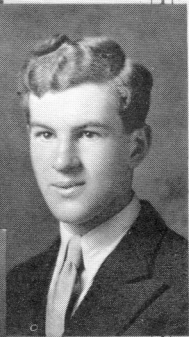
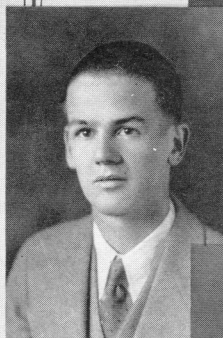
*Schools:* Rice, Crane.*Clubs:* Posture, Modern Literature.*Ambition:* To say what I mean and mean what I say.LENNA PERRONE *Lee*

40 Newell St.

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.*Clubs:* Posture '29-'30.*Activities:* Basketball '31-'32, Shorthand Awards, Tennis '31, Baseball '32, Exhibition '32.*Ambition:* To have a date with the man in the moon.GUNNAR ARTHUR PETERSON *Sweede*

41 Marian Ave.

*Schools:* Mercer, Dawes, Hibbard.*Clubs:* Torch Hi-Y, Varsity.*Activities:* Ass't Manager of Football '30, Manager of Football '31, Class Day Committee, Prompter-Senior Play, Noon Traffic '31-'32.*Ambition:* Find cure for the depression.



# ELAINE CLAIRE PHILLIPS *Hinsdale*

South Street, Hinsdale.

*Schools:* Hinsdale Grammar, Plunkett.

*Clubs:* Dramatic, Posture.

*Activities:* Tennis '31, Basketball '31, Exhibition Short-hand Awards '32.

*Ambition:* To be the first woman Mayor of Hinsdale.

# DAVIS GUILFORD PHINNEY *Dave*

415 William St.

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard Junior High.

*Clubs:* Debating.

*Activities:* Leaders' Gym Team, Stage Manager Senior A Play, *Year Book* Staff.

*Ambition:* To be a good husband.

# RAYMOND J. POULIN *Spike*

54 Francis Ave.

*Schools:* Rice, Crane, Tucker, Mercer, Plunkett.

*Ambition:* To get some.

# ROBERT PREW *Bob*

46 Hull Ave.

*Schools:* Middlefield, Chester High School, Mercer.

*Activities:* Class Monitor, Senior A Baseball Team.

*Ambition:* To be the special sailor.

# RITA MARIE PROVOST *Totsy*

15 McArthur St.

*Schools:* Bartlett, Tucker.

*Clubs:* *Student's Pen* '30, Sewing '31,

*Ambition:* To convince Paul T . . . that "Hec" isn't a slang word.

# BESSIE ALTHEA PULVER *Betty*

124 Elizabeth St.

*Schools:* Pomeroy.

*Ambition:* To be a perfect Stenog.

DOROTHY DEMING PURDY *Dot*

*Schools:* Holmes, Dawes, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Music Appreciation.  
*Ambition:* School Music Teacher.

ROBERT RALSTON, JR. *Bob*

219 Dalton Ave.

*Schools:* Crane.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Traffic '31-'32, H. R. Sec. '31-'32.  
*Ambition:* To have a past.

WINIFRED RANSEHOUSEN *Winnie*

24 Cliff Ave.

*Schools:* Mercer Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic, Modern Literature.  
*Activities:* Torch Gi-Y '31-'32, Tennis '31.  
*Ambition:* To coach Harriet Bridge for the 1936 Olympics.

HOWARD A. REINHARDT *Howie*

60 Howard St.

*Schools:* Redfield, Barnum, Mercer, Warren Harding High School.  
*Clubs:* Art Appreciation.  
*Activities:* President of Art Club, Senior Play Cast.  
*Ambition:* To be a farmer in Hinsdale.

MARJORIE RENNE *Mike*

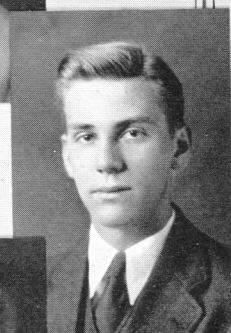
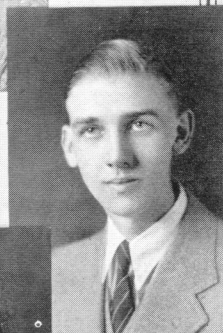
52 West Housatonic St.

*Schools:* Redfield, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Torch Gi-Y '31-'32, Dramatic, Modern Literature, Posture '30.  
*Activities:* Swimming Team '30-'31-'32, Basketball, Baseball, Track, Archery, Usher at Feb. '32 Graduation.  
*Ambition:* To win diving in the 1936 Olympics.

LILY RENWALL *Lilums*

987 Holmes Road.

*Schools:* Holmes Rd., Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Machine, Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Squad Leader, Advertising Staff of *Year Book*.  
*Ambition:* To sit quietly in the alcove of the library every sixth period.



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ROSE MARY RICCI *Roey*

322 Columbus Ave.

*Schools:* Bartlett, Pomeroy, Tucker.  
*Clubs:* Posture, Machine, *Student's Pen*, Glee.  
*Activities:* Track '31, Basketball '32, Baseball '32, Archery '32, Exhibition '32.  
*Ambition:* To be good.

HARRIET BOYNTON RICE *Pat*

250 Pomeroy Ave.

*Schools:* Stearns, Osceola, Worcester Grammar, Redfield, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* *Student's Pen* '30, Machine '32.  
*Activities:* Traffic '30, Squad Leader '32, Cap't Senior Basketball '32, Play Day '32, Exhibition '32.  
*Ambition:* To hitch-hike across the country.

OLIVE VERONICA RICHARDS *Ollie*

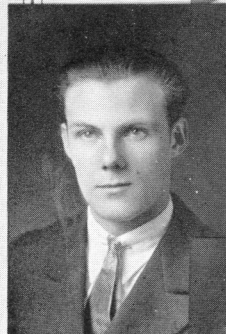
Washington, Massachusetts.

*Schools:* Washington Grammar, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Torch Gi-Y, Dramatic, Posture.  
*Activities:* Basketball, Swimming, Squad Leader.  
*Ambition:* To coach Marjorie Renne in the 1936 Olympics.

ALICE MARY ROCK *Pal Rock*

84 Lyman St.

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.  
*Clubs:* Art Appreciation '31-'32, Posture.  
*Activities:* Home Room Treasurer '29-'30, *Pen* Staff.  
*Ambition:* To be a famous illustrator and portrait painter.

CLINTON LEROY RODDA *Pussy*

56 Pine St.

*Schools:* Berkshire, Rice, Mercer.  
*Ambition:* To see Pittsfield from the school tower.

BARBARA FRANCES ROSCOE *Bob*

Winship Ave.

*Schools:* Plunkett, Pontoosuc.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Activities:* *Year Book* Staff.  
*Ambition:* To do a Mastery Problem.

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VIRGINIA MARGARET ROSE *Gin*

21 Pollock Ave.

- Schools:* Plunkett Grammar, Dawes, Plunkett Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Tennis, Baseball, Archery.  
*Ambition:* To convince Mary Parker that I am only a friend to Robert (?) and that after all, I am really a descendant of Benjamin Franklin.

EVELYNNE ROY *Evey*

250 Peck's Road.

- Schools:* Peck's, Russell, Mercer.  
*Clubs:* Glee '31-'32, Posture.  
*Activities:* Traffic '29, Junior Prom Reception Committee, Usher for Senior Play.  
*Ambition:* To invent a dustless chalk.

MILDRED VIRGINIA RUESCH *Millie*

60 Dartmouth St.

- Schools:* Pomeroy, Crane.  
*Clubs:* Home Hygiene, Posture, Dramatics, Chorus, Orchestra.  
*Ambition:* To invent a muffler for my laugh.

SUSANNE SARDAM *Sue*

31 Atwood Ave.

- Schools:* Redfield, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Home Nursing.  
*Ambition:* To convince Mr. Hennessey that Kellogg and Sardam do not cause all the disturbance in Room 307.

HELEN E. SAWYER *Billie*

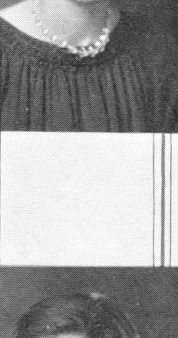
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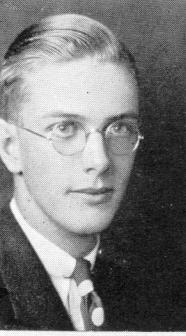
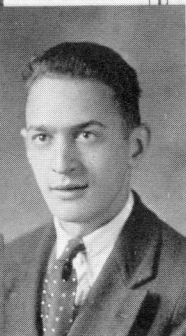
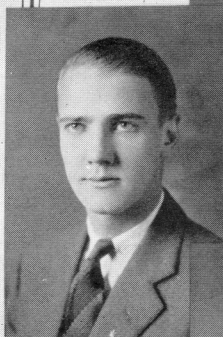
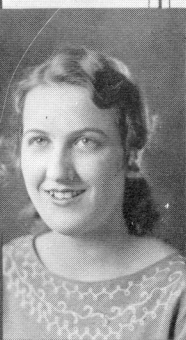
- Schools:* Redfield, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Machine.  
*Activities:* Traffic '29, Tri-Hi '31-'32, Chairman Statistic Committee, Tennis.  
*Ambition:* To train snakes on Mt. Everett for the Amherst professors.

DOROTHY ELIZABETH SCHWARZ *Dot*

163 West Housatonic St.

- Schools:* Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Posture, Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Home Room Treasurer '30-'31, Chairman Junior Prom Committee, President of Dramatic Club, Year Book Staff.  
*Ambition:* To be a "sob sister" on a New York Tabloid.



DENNIS L. SCIABARASI *Denny*

36 Newell St.

*Schools:* Dawes, Plunkett, Hibbard.  
*Clubs:* Music, Orchestra.  
*Ambition:* To make "Red" Nichols look sick on a trumpet.

CLARA SEDGWICK *Clare*

869 Holmes Rd.

*Schools:* Crane, Nugent, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Machine, Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Play Cast.  
*Ambition:* To play "Frankenstein's Monster" in the Faculty Play.

GLEN A. SEVERANCE *Sevy*

653 North St.

*Schools:* Mercer.  
*Clubs:* Posture.  
*Ambition:* To own an umbrella farm or, to sell holeless doughnuts.

LAWRENCE ALAN SEYMOUR *Al*

65 Appleton Ave.

*Schools:* Williamstown Grammar, Bartlett, Tucker, Redfield, Pomeroy, Mercer, Dawes, Hibbard.  
*Clubs:* Glider Club, Aviation Division of Science Club.  
*Activities:* Construction Manager Glider Club, President Aviation Division Science Club, Manager of Glider Section of Aviation Club, Track.  
*Ambition:* To be the Henry Ford of Aviation . . \$6.73.

BARBARA PHYLLIS SHERMAN *Bobbie*

48 Seymour St.

*Schools:* Amherst Junior High, Amherst High School.  
*Ambition:* To go to Mars.

EDWARD M. SIMMONS *Ed*

25 Northumberland Road.

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.  
*Clubs:* Student's Pen.  
*Activities:* Traffic '30-'31.  
*Ambition:* To argue with Miss Prediger when she is about to give a test.

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MICHAEL A. SIMON *Si*

114 West Housatonic St.

*Schools:* J. M. Aldrich, Davis, B. M. C. Durfee, Pomeroy.

*Clubs:* Debating '30-'31-'32, Posture '29.

*Activities:* Traffic '30-'31, Ticket Collector Senior Play.

*Ambition:* To become a real statesman.

MARGARET MARY SMITH *Meg*

47 Marian Ave.

*Schools:* Rice, Dawes, Hibbard.

*Clubs:* Machine '31-'32, Posture '29-'30.

*Activities:* Type Awards, Shorthand Certificates, Tennis, Basketball, Archery.

*Ambition:* To be an author.

MARION VIRGINIA SMITH *Smitty*

136 Bradford St.

*Schools:* Redfield, Pomeroy, Plunkett.

*Clubs:* Posture, Home Nursing, Etiquette.

*Activities:* Usher at Senior Play.

*Ambition:* To be director of the Mickey Mouse Comedies.

WINIFRED K. SMITH *Winnie*

53 Dawes Ave.

*Schools:* Redfield, St. Joseph's, Dawes, Plunkett.

*Clubs:* Posture, Dramatics.

*Activities:* Archery, Spanish Play, Year Book Staff.

*Ambition:* To kiss the blarney stone.

JENNIE MARIE SONSINI *Jen*

453 Fenn St.

*Schools:* Plunkett.

*Clubs:* Glee, Vocal Chorus.

*Activities:* Basketball '32, Baseball '32, Concert '32, Play Day '32, Typewriting and Shorthand Awards.

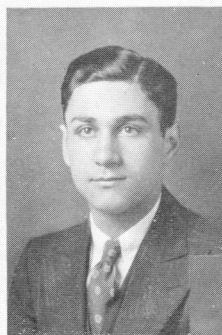
*Ambition:* To see a cigar "box."

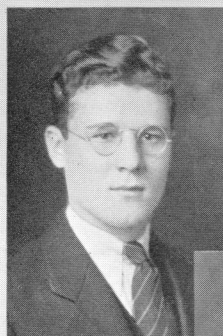
JAMES HENRY SNELL *Herbie*

43 Parker St.

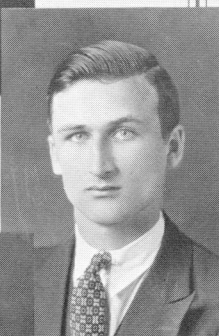
*Schools:* Plunkett.

*Ambition:* To be Coach Lombard's star distance Swimmer.



GERALD SHELDON SPANIOL *Jerry*

258 Woodleigh Ave.

*Schools:* Stearns, Pomeroy.*Clubs:* Dramatic, Posture '30.*Ambition:* To be able to stand one hundred in a test of Mr. Murray's own questions.WILLIAM SPASYK *Bill*

1173 North St.

*Schools:* Pontoosuc, Russell Grammar, Pontoosuc Junior High.*Activities:* Manager of Hockey '30-'31, Track '31, Ring Committee, Circulation Staff of *Year Book*.*Ambition:* To Ukrainianize Miss Prediger.GERTRUDE AGNES STACK *Gert*

122 Brown St.

*Schools:* Crane, Rice, Mercer Junior High.*Clubs:* Dramatic, Public Speaking.*Activities:* Basketball, Baseball, Archery '32.*Ambition:* To play opposite Mickey Mouse.EDWIN ARTHUR STEVENS *Eddie*

43 Cloverdale St.

*Schools:* Pomeroy.*Ambition:* To be Mr. Nugent's Secretary.LLOYD A. STOKES, JR. *Stokesie*

24 Merriam St.

*Schools:* Briggs, Bartlett, Pomeroy.*Clubs:* Radio, Torch Hi-Y.*Activities:* Reception Committee Junior Prom, Senior B Ring Committee, Traffic Officer '32, Manager Track '32, Circulation Staff of *Year Book*.*Ambition:* To convince Mr. Herberg that any angle may be accurately trisected by means of a compass and an unmarked straight edge.MARGUERITE STRIBEL *Dolly*

Holmes Road

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.*Clubs:* Dramatic.*Ambition:* To be ambitious.

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DELPHINE TAGLIAFERRO *Elfie*

1012 East St.

*Schools:* Hibbard, Plunkett Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Posture, Baseball.  
*Activities:* Shorthand Award—100 word Certificate.  
*Ambition:* To be naughty, but nice.

DORIS TEN BROECK *Dot*

1642 North St.

*Schools:* Pontoosuc.  
*Clubs:* Tap Dancing.  
*Activities:* Home Room Treasurer '32, Squad Leader, Usher at Senior Play, Swimming Team '30-'31-'32.  
*Ambition:* To be Coach Lombard's star girl swimmer.

CATHRYN VIVIAN TRUDEN *Kit*

Pontoosuc Lake.

*Schools:* Balance Rock, Pontoosuc.  
*Clubs:* Debating '30, Posture '30.  
*Ambition:* To get a position as teacher in Ruth's school.

HARRY COUCH TOOLEY *Doc*

279 New Lenox Road

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.  
*Clubs:* Radio, *Student's Pen*.  
*Activities:* Traffic '29-'30-'31-'32, Track '31, *Year Book* Committee.  
*Ambition:* To get my hands on a diploma.

ORRINGTON WALTER TUBBS *Wash*

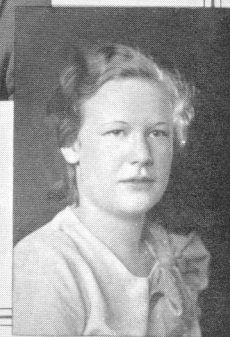
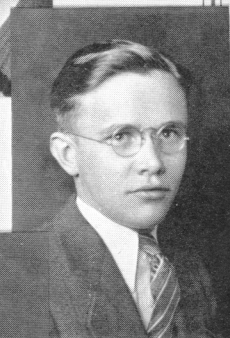
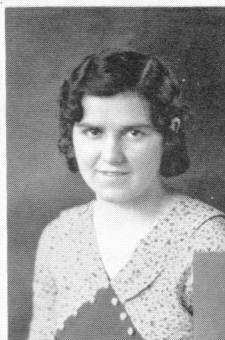
9 Elizabeth St.

*Schools:* Norway Grammar, Norway, Maine.  
*Clubs:* Senior Hi-Y, Torch Hi-Y, Varsity, Sigma Epsilon.  
*Activities:* Pres. Senior Hi-Y '31-'32, Treas. Torch Hi-Y '30, Mgr. of Football '30, Ch. of Photo Com., Who's Who Com., Ch. of Banquet Com., Ch. of Ticket Com. Varsity Dance, *Year Book* Staff, Dance after Play Com., Traffic.  
*Ambition:* Napoleon, Crassus, and Solomon.

CARYL GENEVIEVE TUGGEY *CG*

33 Congress St.

*Schools:* Dawes, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* *Student's Pen* '29-'30, Dramatic '31-'32.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer '29-'30.  
*Ambition:* To be as beautiful as I am dumb.



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FLORENCE JANET VINCENT *Flo*

133 Benedict Road

- Schools:* Crane.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Typing Contest '30-'31-'32, Shorthand Contest '32.  
*Ambition:* To convince Miss Prediger that I have a sunny disposition.



MARJORIE E. VOLIN *Marj*

107 Howard St.

- Schools:* Redfield, Pomeroy, Plunkett.  
*Clubs:* Posture, Music Appreciation.  
*Activities:* Spanish Play '30, Archery, Editorial Staff of *Year Book*.  
*Ambition:* To be organist at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine.



GRACE VREELAND



JULIA M. WALDRON *Jul*

78 Curtis Terrace

- Schools:* Crane.  
*Clubs:* Posture '30, Tap Dancing '32  
*Activities:* Typing Contest '30-'32, Shorthand Contest '32, Typing and Shorthand Awards.  
*Ambition:* To talk as fast as Edna Wallace Hopper.



NANCY WALKER *Nan*

24 Weston St.

- Schools:* Miss Mills's School.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Senior Play.  
*Ambition:* To be able to laugh like Ed Wynn.



WILLIAM WALLACE *Bill*

20 Holmes Road

- Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.  
*Clubs:* Machine.  
*Ambition:* To be able to teach Foster something.

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CAROLYN WARREN *Shrimp*

Lanesboro.

*Schools:* Lanesboro Grammar, Pontoosuc Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Posture '29-'30, Home Nursing '31-'32.  
*Ambition:* To tour the world on a scooter.

ELIZABETH WELLER *Betty*

66 Ontario St.

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.  
*Clubs:* Glee.  
*Ambition:* To become successor to Paderewski.

HAROLD WELTMAN *Welt*

317 West St.

*Schools:* Briggs, Pomeroy, Redfield.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic, Public Speaking.  
*Ambition:* To become a tax collector.

ROBERT OSTROM WHITE *Bob*

West Shore, Pontoosuc Lake.

*Schools:* Dawes, Pontoosuc.  
*Clubs:* Radio '31-'32, De Molay.  
*Activities:* Treasurer of Radio Club '31, '32, Hockey '31,  
 Advertising Staff of *Year Book*.  
*Ambition:* To be a Million Dollar Agriculturist.

PHILIP WHITEHILL *Jack*

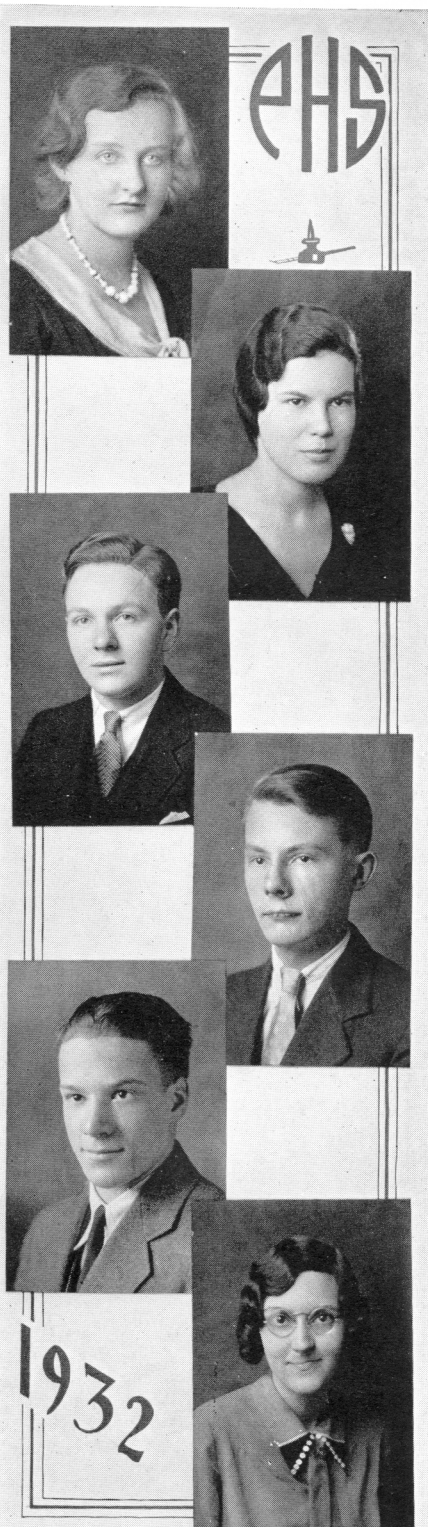
11 Warren Terrace.

*Schools:* Watertown, Mass., West Junior High, Water-  
 town Senior High.  
*Ambition:* To pilot the night air-mail.

SARAH ELIZABETH WHITTAKER *Sally*

85 West Housatonic St.

*Schools:* Briggs, Redfield, Pomeroy.  
*Clubs:* Posture, Home Nursing.  
*Activities:* Basketball, Baseball, Track, Archery.  
*Ambition:* To reach the top of the ladder.



DONALD E. WILKER *Don*

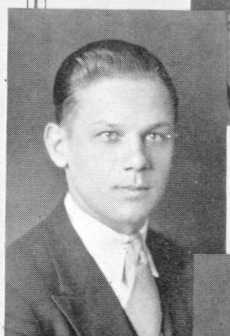
39 Forrest Place.

*Schools:* Rice, Crane.  
*Clubs:* Glee.  
*Ambition:* To succeed in life.

SOPHIE MARY WINTEMBERG *Hinsdale*

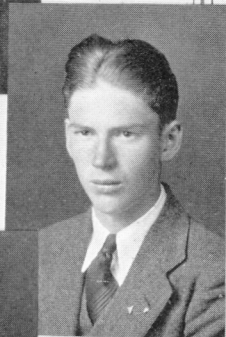
Holmes Road, Hinsdale, Mass.

*Schools:* Hinsdale Grammar, Plunkett Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Dramatic.  
*Activities:* Baseball, Girls' Exhibition.  
*Ambition:* To help place Hinsdale on the map.

JOSEPH JOHN WOITKOSKI, JR. *Wort*

223 Wahconah St.

*Schools:* Mercer, Russell, Mercer Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Senior Hi-Y '31-'32, Varsity '31-'32, Posture '30.  
*Activities:* Sophomore Football Team '29, Varsity Football '30-'31, Varsity Basketball '30-'31-'32, Capt. of Basketball Team '31-'32, Varsity Baseball '30-'31-'32, Senior A Class Picture Com., Traffic Officer '30-'31-'32.  
*Ambition:* To be a successful ice box bandit; one who doesn't get caught.

DONALD RIDER WOOD *Red*

71 Cherry St.

*Schools:* Nugent, Rice, Mercer Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Torch Hi-Y '31-'32, De Molay.  
*Ambition:* To be a champion auto racer.

MABEL ELEANOR WRIGHT *Ginger*

39 Northumberland Road.

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Posture '29-'30.  
*Activities:* Typewriting Contest '31, Shorthand Awards.  
*Ambition:* To be a successful old maid.

MARJORIE YOUNG *Marge*

85 Edward Ave.

*Schools:* Dawes, Hibbard.  
*Activities:* Editorial Staff of *Year Book*, Banquet Committee.  
*Ambition:* To "wipe out the past, trust the future, and live in a glorious now."

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HELENA BARBARA ZIEMAK *Helen*

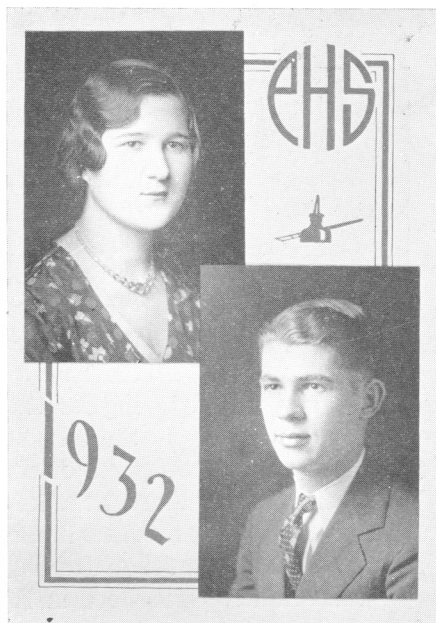
21 Norman Ave.

*Schools:* Crane.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer '29-'30, Home Room Secretary, '32.  
*Ambition:* To manage my own restaurant or tea room.

ARTHUR ZWINGELSTEIN *Red*

1035 North St.

*Schools:* Bartlett, Tucker Junior High.  
*Clubs:* Spanish.  
*Activities:* Traffic Officer.  
*Ambition:* To be a super-salesman.



## Class Song

*We lift our voices strong, to tell of Pittsfield's glory,  
 As we join the song, and hail the school, renowned in story;  
 Hearts beat high with love for Alma Mater;  
 Let our song of praise, to all the world resounding,  
 Echo all the days, our tribute to her name rebounding,  
 Fight the fight with valor and with might;  
 Hail, all hail, the Purple and the White.*

*Tune of "Laurette"*





Nancy Walker

THE accomplishments of American women in the many different fields of endeavor open to them in this progressive twentieth century are noteworthy. They have contributed much to the world of art and drama, the world of literature, and the world of business. Yet have not their achievements along these lines been essentially selfish? Have not the great actresses and business women of today risen to the heights which they occupy because they were driven by a desire for wealth and fame? When looking for those women who have done the most toward the advancement of civilization, we must turn away

from the glamorous figures of the arts, the theatre, and the business world. We must consider those little-known workers who labor in behalf of others. It seems to me that no other American woman more truly deserves to be called a great public servant than does Julia Clifford Lathrop, the social service worker.

Miss Lathrop was born in Rockford, Illinois, in 1858. After graduating from Vassar College, of which she is now a trustee, she became a resident of Hull House, Chicago's great social settlement, where she remained to spend many useful years, working under that splendid leader, Jane Addams. Later, because of her previous efficient service, Miss Lathrop was appointed a member of the Illinois State Board of Charities. Here she performed her duties with great intelligence and human understanding. Her strong belief in social education led directly to the better administration of county almshouses and state charitable institutions, and to the creation of the first juvenile court in Illinois. The thirteen years spent in this work served Miss Lathrop as an excellent preparatory course for the great position she was to assume in the future.

In 1912 President Taft placed Miss Lathrop in charge of the new Children's Bureau at Washington. It was the first time that a woman had been put at the head of a federal bureau. The task which Miss Lathrop undertook was a tremendous one. She was to organize a new federal bureau and create a new governmental organism. It would have been easy to fall into the rut of conventional reform. This the new chief refused to do. She aimed high and, because of her veritable genius, she was able to reach her mark.

The first and most valuable work of the bureau was the study of infant mortality. An ordinary executive would have become involved in the labyrinth of statistical research. Miss Lathrop, however, was not an ordinary executive. Her reports were simple and to the point. She discovered that the babies of the very poor die with appalling swiftness. The people of America were informed that the lives of tens of thousands of children were being sacrificed to poverty. Her facts were unrefutable, her logic undeniable. The Children's Bureau was enabled to deal effectively with an endless social struggle.

It would be a great mistake to picture Miss Lathrop as having been merely a detached administrator of a body of student researchers. She caused

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## Great Public Servant

the Bureau to become an agency for the education of American women. She held very successful campaigns for the purpose of teaching women the best ways to care for their children. At one time it was reported that eight million American women were working with the Bureau weighing and measuring babies. It took genius to enlist the service of such a host.

From the first Miss Lathrop established the policy of making the experience of foreign countries available to America. When the United States entered the World War, many people wished to destroy those laws which were safeguarding women and children, but Miss Lathrop was able to show from the previous experience of France and Great Britain that such action was not necessary for the successful operation of war. In this way she rendered a service of unestimable value to our country.

The activities of the Children's Bureau have not been confined to infant welfare, medicine, or statistics. The Bureau was given the responsibility for the enforcement of the first federal Child Labor Law and it fulfilled this obligation with intelligence and force. After the war, Miss Lathrop called a conference of experts from many countries. Out of this meeting came certain "standards of child welfare," which are a living challenge to the people of America.

All of this work was made possible because of the fine quality of the corps which made up the Bureau. Miss Lathrop was an unyielding champion of the civil service. No amount of political influence could secure an appointment in her personnel. This policy of the first chief has made the way easier for her successors. In spite of her devotion to the merit system, however, Miss Lathrop was very well-liked in Washington. She has always been able to make and keep friends. This is readily explained by her charm, her wonderful human understanding, and her kindly humor.

After nine years of brilliant administration, Miss Lathrop retired from the Children's Bureau at the age of sixty-three, leaving Grace Abbott, also trained at Hull House, as her successor. Though she is no longer chief, Miss Lathrop's policies are carrying on the splendid work which she began. In 1925 she was appointed assessor on the Child Welfare Committee of the League of Nations. Today, at the age of seventy-four, she is still keenly interested in social service. Last year the Illinois Conference on Public Welfare designated its conference dinner in her honor. At this dinner Lewis Merriam of the Federal Children's Bureau said that Miss Lathrop verified her reputation as the third kind of politician in Washington, where to the old varieties a new one was added—"Republican, Democratic, and Miss Lathrop!"

Ever since she left college, Miss Lathrop has devoted herself to the welfare of her fellow men. With William Wordsworth she might truthfully say:

*"Give unto me, made lowly wise,  
The spirit of self-sacrifice;  
The confidence of reason give;  
And in the light of truth thy Bondman let me live!"*

Nancy Walker



THE SENIOR PLAY CAST

# SENIOR PLAY WELL RECEIVED BY LARGE AUDIENCE

The Senior A's aimed high when they selected as difficult a play as "The Royal Family", but the fine style with which they presented it last Friday night proved that they had ample talent in their class to warrant the selection of such a play. Each member of the cast put everything he had into the play with the result that it was an all-star production. The eyes of the doubters and pessimists were opened wide by the unusually fine performance. No director, critic, or audience could ask for a better piece of work from high school students than was offered by the cast of "The Royal Family."

The part of Fanny Cavendish, elderly in years but young in spirit, was played unusually well by Nancy Walker. Edward Michelson, playing the part of an efficient business manager, also took his part with finesse and ease. Tony Cavendish, the dashing rollicking member of this theatrical family, was played by Leon Lombard in a style not often found among high school actors. Clara Sedgwick, playing the part of Julie Cavendish, took her part with grace and charm. Others who all played their parts well are Salway Najimy as Della, the maid; Alfred Anderson as McDermott, the "hard-boiled" trainer; Walker Hosmer as Joe, the butler; John Green and Alice Newman playing the parts of Mr. and Mrs. Dean; Lois Denison as Gwen Cavendish; William Greenwood as Perry Stewart, Gwen's fiancé; Benjamin Kincaid playing Gilbert Marshall, Julie's fiancé; Fred Brazee playing two parts of Gunga and the chauffeur; Marjorie Ball as Miss Peake; and Howard Rhinehart as a hallboy.

The Senior A's are to be heartily congratulated for their most successful production.

(From PENPOINTS, May 16, 1932)

# Class Prophecy

U. S. Naval Academy  
Annapolis, Maryland  
Commandant's Office

Miss Grace DeVoe  
New York Chronicle  
New York City

Grace:

Class reunion will be held January 29 Stop At Wendell Hotel Stop Find out occupations of classmates.

Bob Canfield.

This telegram was the first thing that greeted me when I returned from lunch. After I had read it, I stood musing over the past and wondering how I could obtain the desired information. But a newspaper job is not an easy one and so I was brought back to earth by the office boy telling me that I was wanted in the editor's office.

At this announcement I laughed and walked into the chief's room. How stupid I had been. There was one answer right under my nose, for the Editor-in-Chief of the *New York Chronicle* was no other than Edward Michelson. I started to tell him about the reunion. He had different ideas. There had been a big accident over at 59th Street. Some important person had been hurt and taken to the Presbyterian Hospital. I was told to rush over and get the particulars.

I reached the hospital and started toward the office to get the desired information. As I rounded the corner I bumped into a white clad figure. To my surprise I found that it was Harold Weltman. He told me that he was head surgeon there. I told him what I had come for and he invited me up to see the patient. Whom should I behold but the great criminal lawyer, William Greenwood! He was not so badly injured as had been supposed for he was calling for his secretary, Harriett Rice, to have her attend to some business matters. So we were allowed to talk. It seemed that there were several former classmates now at work in this very hospital. Gertrude Stack had the honor of being the only woman surgeon, while Irene Coty, Mary Fenwick, Marian Lewis, Susanne Sardam, and Marian Smith were all graduate nurses. Closely connected with the hospital was a well known undertaker, John Green, who was doing a very profitable business. We discussed the accident and I left for the office.

When I returned I handed in my report and I also managed to get in a few words about the reunion. The chief asked me if I were paid to help out with a reunion or as reporter for his newspaper. But as I went out, he told me to go over to the WEAf broadcasting station, where I might possibly get some help.



After handing in my latest report, I hurried over to the studio. The man in charge was very kind and showed me the schedule for the next few weeks. This schedule revealed many names that were familiar to me.

Prof. Jack Bennett was to give a scientific talk about his work on Egyptian research.

Marjorie Ball was giving weekly etiquette lessons. She had evidently abandoned the idea of being a nurse.

Prof. Michael Arpanti was giving a series of talks on the helpfulness and beauty of the Spanish language. To prove how inspiring it was, he even spoke a few words himself.

Lucinda Chapin was giving cooking lessons. She was doing very well, for several bridegrooms had written in and thanked her for her recipes.

Helen Bray was singing all the latest song hits of the popular song writers, Robert Manns and Dorothea Hayn. Her accompanist at the piano was Harvey Loveless.

Charlotte Flynn was lecturing on woman's rights. She and the announcer, Glen Severance, were always at swords' points. Each believed that the other was trying to get away with something.

Carolyn Warren and Betty Griffin, who had travelled around the world together, were telling of the interesting and outlandish customs of foreign people. But they still say that there are more outlandish customs right here at home.

Beatrice Gauvreau was giving French lessons. No one ever questioned her French, because she spoke so fast that it sounded genuine.

Ada Noonan was giving contract bridge lessons. She had been very successful, for many women listeners had written that at last they had learned not to trump their husband's ace.

Edna Wallace Hopper was still broadcasting, but not as strongly as before. For now she had to have a relief speaker. This gifted orator proved to be, Dorothy Schwarz, who was as good as Miss Hopper herself.

The Chase and Sanborn hour was still the big Sunday night feature. Acting on this was Gunnar Peterson, impersonating our old friend Eddie Cantor. Peterson was so clever that the real Cantor, on listening in one night, asked his wife if she was sure that he *was* Eddie Cantor. The announcer who helped with the program was Milton Noble.

The Pepsodent Company had gone operatic in a big way. They had taken off the Goldbergs and put in their place two famous grand opera singers, Olga Govani and Eugene Case. Case had decided that there was more money in opera than in being Mayor of Lanesboro. They had for their accompanist, Alice Newman.

Having received all this valuable information, I hastened home and so to bed.

Bright and early next morning I went down to the office. Recalling that the Olympics had been held during the summer, I decided to look over our past files to see if any of my classmates had participated.

The files revealed that Leon Lombard was captain of the American swimming team. Despite the fact that Hollywood contains many dashing men,

Lombard seemed to give them cause for alarm. On this team was another classmate, James Snell.

The women's Olympic swimming team was captained by Marjorie Renne, champion diver. Her team included Barbara Roscoe and Doris Ten Broeck.

Our class was also represented on the track team, as it was captained by Benjamin Kincaid, "the Platinum Kid." William Spasyk, international sprinter, was also representing us.

Auto racing had been added as a new event. Clinton Rodda had entered his auto, The Spirit of Pittsfield. His relief driver was William Elliott, and the mechanic was Charles Barnes. Though they did not win the race they made it evident to the people of Hollywood, that there is a place called Pittsfield.

After I had exhausted this information, I looked through the files of sporting events.

The first notice that met my glance was, "Edward Hickey, Athletics' youngest and best find, pitches another victory for his teammates." Evidently Eddie had gone baseball in a big way but not quite so big as the former Babe Ruth. Two of his teammates were Tom Harrington and Eugene Archey, while two opponents, on the Yankees, were Edward Martin and Edward Johnson.

The next item of interest stated that America had at last gained two people to take the place of Helen Wills Moody and Bill Tilden. They were Helen Sawyer and Alfred Bachus. Both were traveling fast (it was all in the day's work) and had lost a lot of weight according to reports.

John Majchrowski had been elected President of the Isaac Walton League. His outstanding contribution to the club was the printing of a sign which stated, "When bigger and better fish are caught, I. W. League members will catch them."

In the field of horseracing there was new material. At the Kentucky Derby a horse owned by the Rebecca Gifford racing stables had won over the favorite, Blue Monday, on whom the betting had been 32-1. It was stated that Bookmaker Walter Biety had won enough money on that race to retire. It was a lucky thing for him that Rebecca had decided to own horses instead of just drawing them. It proved to be more profitable for both.

Just then the clock struck nine and I hastened to my office. On my desk I found a notice telling me to report at the monthly meeting of the literary club. So I grabbed a pad and pencil and left.

Arriving at the club room, I knocked and was told to enter. Going in, I beheld all the young writers of the day. I went toward the chairman, and I found that it was Betty Grand-Lienard, the most prominent woman novelist of the day. Jean Horelly, another young authoress, was sitting to the right of the chairman. Marjorie Young who had just published her latest novel, "Strange People" (it was rumored to be a story of her former classmates) was also present. Lauretta Laurin, who had published the book, "How To Grow Tall," and Margaret McNicholl, the authoress of a book entitled, "The Lady

Swoons," were not present. Thanking them and expressing the wish of seeing them again, I left.

When I arrived at the office, good news awaited me. Editor Michelson told me that he had two tickets for the football game and that he and I were going to take the rest of the day off and attend it. You see, he is still the same old Ed. I got permission to dash out to get some new clothes.

I went over to an exclusive gown shop on Fifth Avenue. It was called Madam Louis-veaux Shop but the proprietress' real name was Helen Coons. She told me that she had a surprise for me. Then she called her four best models. They were Norma Bore, Elaine Phillips, Elinor Finn. The fourth was Grace Ames but she was busy at that time. Helen told me that the dress-maker for the American made gowns was Salway Najimy and that Lily Renwall was the designer. I finally selected my gown and went home to dress.

Even when we had arrived at the game; I did not know who was to play except that it was an important game. I did not have time to inquire, for my attention was caught by the noisy entrance of one of the spectators. It was Victor De Fazio, the racketeer. He is a very democratic person and always insists upon his chauffeur, Arthur Zwingelstein accompanying him. It is said that he does this in case he has to leave in a hurry, thus Speedy Art will be on hand.

Then I noticed Jeannette Brewer, Y.W.C.A. president, and her assistant, Eunice Kennedy, coming in with Lawyer Greenwood and Lawyer Robert White. The chief immediately began to make motions to attract Greenwood's attention, but he only succeeded in getting everyone else to look. Finally Jeannette saw us and they came over. We talked over old times. I learned that Mary Parker was a social worker and that Marguerite Munson and Mary Pelkey were working at the Y.W.C.A. also.

Bill called my attention to the fact that Elwood Finch, the trapeze performer, Edward Brockway, the lion tamer, and Mildred Ruesch, acrobat, had dropped over to see the game.

There was a great deal of applause as Foster McRell, candidate for the presidency, accompanied by Lois Dennison, alias Miss Massachusetts, entered the stadium. Elizabeth Cheyne, champion hitch hiker, followed. Then George Kelsey, who with Alan Seymour had broken the record for flying around the world, came in with Pauline Kilian, who was the model for the Chesterfield advertisement "Keep Kissable". Last, but not least came Howard McGlynn, whose pictures were rapidly selling "Cluetts Collars."

These were all I had time to see, for the game started. To my surprise, I found that Paul Dixon was captain of one team and that "Joe" Woitkoski was captain of the other. They were rivals for the best American football team. Virginio Marchisio was an end on Dixon's team. The game was very exciting and it ended with the score 13-13. Which proves that both boys were living up to the title of athletes.

After the game we rushed out and managed to get a taxi due to the fact that the operator was an old friend, Herbert Kosher. We were nearly starved so he stepped on the gas. We took the corners on two wheels and almost passed

a policeman. This was not really Kosher's fault for the policeman happened to be Lloyd Stokes. It was very hard to see him amidst all the traffic.

At last we reached the restaurant. The owner was Saverio Chiodo. He was competing with Child's restaurant and seemed to be leading. No doubt this was due to the fact that the manager of Child's was smaller than Chiodo.

In his restaurant he had as waitresses five girls whom we knew. They were Julia Waldron, Betty Tucker, Jennie Jones, Olive Richards and Rose Ricci. The lure of Broadway had called them. It had been so overpowering that they had left their homes in Pittsfield.

Between courses we talked over old times. He said that James Baker, who was a traveling salesman for a perfume company, and Sam Boxer, who was also a salesman, often dined there. This was also the favorite place for Louis Gilarde, the novelist and James Harrison, the economist; Dorothy Connor, and Alice Rock, two of the greatest artists of the period.

After we had finished, we went down town to a show. It was called "The Prairie Flower." The leading lady was Nancy Walker. The second lead was Clara Sedgwick. It was said that their first real ability had been shown in the class play that they had acted in back in 1932. Catherine Killeen was also a member of the cast, playing the very difficult role of an impersonator.

Howard Reinhardt had been an actor too, but now he was Miss Walker's financial manager.

In the audience I saw Orrington Tubbs who was a prominent Wall Street broker, with John Davidson, President of the New York National Bank. They came over during the intermission so that Tubbs might ask about the reunion. I told him that I was checking up on the classmates. At this Johnnie said that he could help. He said that Jennie Jones was his private secretary, Mabel Wright and Edward Stevens were bookkeepers, and Elaine Knollmeyer and Laura Anthony bank clerks. After talking a few minutes, they returned to their seats. We proceeded to watch the play. After the last curtain call we left to go over to a cabaret for a bite to eat.

Here we were very cleverly entertained by dancing revues. Among those who were the features were Laura Alderman, Doris Loveless, Anna Loboda and Catherine Lonergan. As we left for home, I heard an occupant at the next table remark that he believed the four girls I had just mentioned were to have an interview with Florenz Ziegfeld on the following Wednesday.

The next day saw me back to work. There was to be a big banquet down at the Waldorf-Astoria which I had to cover. There were many celebrities present from all parts of the country. Elinor Buck, prominent club woman, gave the speech of welcome. Robert Ralston, newly-elected mayor of New York, gave a short address. Then the guests, beginning with the one to the right of Miss Buck, spoke a few words. The first one was Edward Bonnivier, Prof. of Psychology at Columbia. Then Robert Carmel, Prof. of English, also from Columbia. Then Jane Bliss, a member of the U. S. Senate, gave a speech on prohibition. Marion Boulogne and Caryl Tuggey, the two brave missionaries who had saved the life of an African child, told of their exciting and interesting work. The rest of the speakers followed in order: Eugene Catalano,

ambassador to Spain; Haven Fagley, the transatlantic flyer; Bonnie Fiel and Mary Huska, two prominent opera stars; Prof. Darwin Gallup, who spoke on the new kind of grasshopper he had discovered; Prof. Norman Ishler, who told of his latest high explosive which was ten times more dangerous than T.N.T.; Profs. Davis Phinney and Joseph Carnevale. Prof. Phinney told of his book which was entitled, "How To Tri-sect an Angle." Prof. Carnevale, Einstein's successor, said that it couldn't be done. To save the banquet from ending in a quarrel, Inspector Sidney Morey of the Secret Service, who had attended with his aid, Herbert Kimber, started to talk about crime and how it had become worse since he had joined the service. At the close Elizabeth Hogarty, that delightful hostess, thanked one and all for the instructive as well as entertaining talks they had given.

Fred Brazee, advertising manager of the *New York Herald* was also present. Paul Beaman, the noisiest reporter in that line of work was with Brazee. When we had all finished taking down notes, we left together for our respective offices.

On the way Fred informed me that Harriett Bridge was doing very well as their editorial writer on Advice to the Young. He asked me if I had seen the article that Winifred Ranshousen had sent in to the *New York Herald*. I replied that I hadn't and asked what it was. He said that she had been president of the Phi Beta sorority at college and in view of her observations had written an article, "Benefits Derived from Sororities" in defense of college clubs. Before I had much chance to comment on this we had arrived at the Chronical Building and I got out.

At the office everything was in confusion for a big scoop had just come in. I handed in my report. Then I helped to get the others ready for the early morning edition. We finished after many hours and I was the first to start on my week's vacation.

I went down to the Grand Central station to purchase my ticket for Pittsfield. Finally, I got on the train and was on my way home. Just then two naval officers came in and who should they be but Lieuts. Robert Prew and Tom Harrison of the Leviathan. They were bound for Pittsfield also. It seems Middlefield has no station and so Pittsfield is the nearest stop. They told me that Muriel Boudreau and Arlene Neff had gone to Europe as nurses to some rich people's children. Marjorie Nash and Marjorie Carpenter had gone on a special teachers' world tour.

On the return trip they had brought back Edward Simmons and Phillip Whitehill, who had just attended a chemical engineers' conference. These two had joined Harry Tooley, the big cattle king, and his secretary, Helen Zienak, just after the boat left land. Marguerite Striebel, buyer for the Macy's department store was returning from Paris. Donald Wood was the wireless operator and George Wilkes, the radio man.

At last we reached Pittsfield. We departed to go our separate ways. I went to the Hotel Wendell to obtain a room. When I came down to dinner MacGowan's High Steppers, the best dance orchestra in Western Massachusetts, was playing. All the gifted musicians of the city must have banded together.



Robert Eby was the piano player. He certainly had learned a few things since his graduation. Dennis Sciabarsi played the trumpet; Raymond DeBlois was the clarinet player; Donald Gowny drew forth peppy tones from his trombone; Walter Michel had become the Rudy Vallee of the day by means of his saxophone playing; Harriett MacGowan sang and directed the orchestra. Her singing was so pathetic that it made one or two people cry.

Later, when leaving, I met Doris Hunt talking to Don Goewey. I stepped up and addressed her as Doris Hunt. Imagine my embarrassment when I learned that she was Mrs. Donald Goewey. I managed to offer my congratulations and departed hastily.

I walked up North Street and decided to take in a show. I went to the Union Square which had been remodeled by contractor Donald Wilker. Sadie Munsinger was ticket seller there. She told me that Russell Brundige was the camera operator and that Williams Boos was the manager. Bill could go out any time he pleased now instead of having to think up alibis as he had in the old days when he was only an usher. After the performance Josephine Carnevale, who was employed by the Pathé News, talked on the risks taken by newsreel men.

On the way home, I passed the new Winter Garden. On a poster outside, I saw that Gerald Spaniol, whose manager was Alfred Anderson (evidently he had gone back to managing men) was to fight William Nychochuck in the main bout. Robert Murphy, mayor of West Pittsfield, would referee.

As I walked by the Grange Hall, the Democratic rally was just getting out. I learned that William Foley and Americo Cantarella were candidates for mayor and city clerk respectively. Foley had been nominated on the platform which embodied the promise of stricter enforcement of the 18th amendment.

Next morning I went up street to do some shopping. Walker Hosmer and George Mendel were partners in the ownership of the Treadway Department Store. Taimi Hiironen, who had just been elected Miss Pittsfield, was modeling in a fashion show that they were putting on. Michael Simon was general manager for the store; Stella Ivanowicz, Esther Johnson, and Mary Alvaro were department buyers.

The third floor was wholly devoted to toys. Albert Bishop was head of this and was very ingenious in making toy novelties. Caroline Emerson assisted him.

The fourth floor had been given over to a beauty parlor. Delphina Tagliaferro was the leasee. Bessie Pulver and Better Weller were hairdressers, Margaret Miller and Rose Codella were masseuses, Florence Vincent was a manicurist.

Then I drifted in at the Agricultural Bank. Maryellen Murphy was an accountant. Donald Bansley was one of the tellers. Esther Nicholson was private secretary to the President. It was thought that Devina Bocking, assistant secretary, might soon be advanced as Esther was rumored to be engaged to a certain Annapolis officer.

After I had drawn out some money, I went down to the high school. There were many cars parked outside, so I gathered that it must be some special event. It proved to be a teachers' convention for Western Massachusetts. Ernestine Bence and Mary Llewelyan were endeavoring to teach seniors what Hamlet

meant when he said, "To be or not to be?" Clara Lavin taught the honored subject of Latin. John Mackie presided in the Chemistry department. Augusta Lipschitz taught German. Evelyn Roy held high esteem in the learned subject of mathematics. Barbara Blake was the head of the English department in Greenfield. Esther Anthony was Dean of Girls at P.H.S. Margaret Harrington taught cooking. Barbara Sherman was a sewing teacher. These two were so clever that it was said that the Household Arts girls would make 100% wives.

Several of the girls had become gym instructors in the schools throughout Berkshire County. They were Vivian Mela, Helen Crowley, Dorothy Purdy and Olive Hawley.

Leaving here I walked down South Street. Standing in front of a big grocery store, I beheld George Miner talking to William Wallace. I stopped to talk with them. George owned the store and Wallace was the big butter and egg man. Across the street was another large store which was owned by Floyd Allen. Louise Codey was his bookkeeper and Raymond Poulin was a clerk there. Floyd and George were rivals so George had to go one better. He not only had Lena Perrone for his cashier but he hired Dorothy Craik as his private secretary. He said that in the summer Floyd bought his ice from the Denno Co. which was owned by Ruth Denno, so he got his from Catherine Truden's Company. Just then Robert Peck drove by and waved to us. Bill said that Peck was the golf pro at the Country Club during the summer but that during the winter he took life easy. "Swell job," added Bill. He said that Olga Duri was Superintendent of the House of Mercy. Virginian Rose was dietician there.

George asked if I had heard about the trip Winifred Smith and Margaret Smith had taken to Europe by aeroplane. They landed safely but when they left, the flying field was not in such good condition.

In parting he advised me to go and see the basketball game that night at the Boys' Club.

I took his advice and went. Francis Fahey was captain of the All Stars. Joe Mendocha was captain of the Midgets. While William Christophero played on Fahey's team, Anthony Gull was center on the Midgets.

After the game I met a friend and we rode up past the lake. He informed me that Charlotte King was now owner of Breezy Knoll. She made enough money during the summer season to spend the winter in Florida. We stopped at a stand. It was one of a chain of Dutch Kitchens owned by Doris Brundige. We enjoyed the hot dogs and after a short ride turned back toward Pittsfield.

When I got back to the hotel, a telegram awaited me from the Chief telling me to return immediately. My vacation was cut short but what difference did it make? I had the desired information ready for Lieut. Canfield—the occupations of the June 1932 graduating class of P.H.S. was now complete.

*Grace DeVoe*

*Marjorie Volin*

*Helen Coons*

*Robert Canfield*

# Class History

**S**EPTEMBER 4, 1929—No, friends, 'twas not the night before Christmas, the date of the Armistice, nor yet the time of the discovery of America, as some history students may erroneously surmise. It was, to be brief, the date of entry of another sophomore class to Pittsfield High School. Ah, but what a class! So different from any other! So intelligent, good looking, and courageous! But let our achievements speak for themselves.

On the day in question, we assembled at noon (due to the double session plan then in effect) in the beautiful sky-blue-pink auditorium of the -er-building on Second Street, to hear the instructions of our principal, Mr. Strout. At the close of his talk, we made our way with absolutely no confusion to the home-rooms assigned, and proceeded to get acquainted with the school, the teachers, and each other. In this ordinary way, began the career of the most *extra*-ordinary class ever to battle its way through the courses of Pittsfield High School.

Then we entered upon our illustrious junior year. Upon the advice of Mr. Ford, we selected a committee to choose the ablest members of our class to serve as our junior officers. The list they submitted was voted upon by the class. Those finally chosen were: President, Edward Hickey; Vice-President, Robert Canfield; Secretary, Elinor Buck; Treasurer, Grace De Voe. As our class adviser, we desired some sophisticated person who was not bashful in any sense of the word, and who would not be embarrassed if any of our feminine classmates sought his advice. To fill this exalted position we chose none other than Mr. Milton J. Herrick.

Under the guidance of these able officers we started to plan our junior activities. Outstanding among these was our Junior Prom. Junior Proms had been held before, but we vowed that ours should be one that would be remembered when all others were forgotten. As our general chairman, we selected William Greenwood. On the evening of June 12 there was great excitement in many homes in Pittsfield, for that was the night chosen by the committee for the Prom. This may seem trivial to some, but to us it is one of the greatest events in the history of the school. It was a very special occasion since it was the last Prom to be held in the Girls' League. For the event the hall was decorated in our school colors of purple and white. For musicians, we had our choice of Rudy Vallee's Connecticut Yankees, Guy Lombardo's Royal Canadians, or Bill Dehey's Merry Makers. Believing that we should patronize our home town musicians, we chose the Merry Makers. To those who attended and witnessed the large crowd there, the importance of this event was evident.

In September of the thirty-first year of the twentieth century, a famous class stampeded through the front doors of a modern building to the tune of a clicking camera, which was attempting to make a lasting picture of the rush. In the auditorium of the new Pittsfield High School, Mr. Strout proceeded to give us instructions about the letter "E" rather than A, B, or C. We soon gained

practical experience in following directions, for we searched through every nook and corner in quest of our class rooms.

After the first few days, events occurred in normal order, and we, serious and sedate Senior B's, elected officers. The honors were conferred upon the following: President, William Greenwood; Vice-President, Robert Canfield; Secretary, Doris Hunt; and Treasurer—our faithful guardian of the purse-strings—Grace De Voe.

In our Senior B year we appointed a ring committee of six, who selected five rings for our approval. The one the class unanimously voted to have, has a replica of the school dome in gold on a black background as its outstanding feature. This ring was chosen by the school as the standard one by a ten to one vote.

Once again, this time in February when we became Senior A's, we had to be different and chose some new officers. Robert Canfield, President; Edward Hickey, Vice-President; Pauline Kilian, Secretary; and Grace De Voe was again unanimously chosen Treasurer. These officers guided us through our best months at Pittsfield High School.

On Friday evening, May 13, we presented our class play "The Royal Family" by George S. Kaufman and Edna Ferber, with a cast of fifteen members. Nearly a hundred pupils tried out for this play and the coach, Miss Kelly, picked out those best suited for the characters. The play portrayed the trials and hardships of the Cavendishes, a theatrical family and had its amusing moments as well as its more serious ones.

As the few remaining, exciting days of May drew near and graduation was actually in sight, the problem of wearing apparel, to be worn at graduation exercises, had to be met by the illustrious class of 1932. A vote was taken in the various home-rooms to determine whether the members of the class would wear caps and gowns, or white dresses for the girls and white flannel trousers and dark blue coats for the boys. The matter was decided in favor of caps and gowns by a majority of thirty votes.

There was a near-eruption in the class organization when the results of the voting were announced. So a class-meeting was held, in which Mr. Strout addressed the students. He expressed his approval of the voting, and explained that the choice of caps and gowns was a wise one, as the rental of the more formal type of commencement attire would be considerably less expensive to the students than the purchase of new clothes.

Finally the entire class was won over to the idea of caps and gowns; the color chosen was black.

The three years, in which we have honored Pittsfield High School with our presence, have been happy, prosperous, and beneficial, not only for ourselves but for the teachers(?). As we close our school days here we, the members of the June graduating class of 1932, leave this place of learning to go forth, undaunted as the crusaders of old, to make ourselves worthy.

## Scholarship Honors

*First Honor:* Doris Elizabeth Hunt

*Second Honor:* Ernestine Emma Bence

### PRO-MERITO

Michael Arpanti  
 Marjorie Elizabeth Ball  
 Ernestine Emma Bence  
 John L. Bennett  
 Barbara Anne Blake  
 Jane Rogers Bliss  
 Jeanette Brewer  
 Josephine Elizabeth Carnevale  
 Joseph Anthony Carnevale  
 Helen Theresa Coons  
 Dorothy Campbell Craik  
 Lois Jeanette Denison  
 Grace Evelyn DeVoe  
 Olga Valentine Duri  
 Rebecca Gifford  
 Elizabeth Marguerite Grand-Lienard  
 William Joseph Greenwood  
 Anthony Joseph Gull  
 Olive Elizabeth Hawley  
 Elizabeth Mary Hogerty  
 Jeanne Horelly  
 Walker Joel Hosmer  
 Doris Elizabeth Hunt

Esther Louise Johnson  
 Jennie Elizabeth Jones  
 Catherine Magdalen Killeen  
 Benjamin Joseph Kincaid  
 Elaine Gertrude Knollmeyer  
 Marion Ethel Lewis  
 Mary Elsie Llewellyn  
 Harry Foster McRell  
 Sidney Charles Morey  
 Mariellen Murphy  
 Marjorie Helen Nash  
 Davis Guilford Phinney  
 Evelynne Esther Roy  
 Dorothy Elizabeth Schwarz  
 Alan Lawrence Seymour  
 William Spasyk  
 Gertrude Agnes Stack  
 Lloyd Anthony Stokes Jr.  
 Delphina Natalie Tagliaferro  
 Florence Janet Vincent  
 Nancy Walker  
 Philip John Whitehill

### SPECIAL AWARDS

Maplewood Institute Prize Essay

Nancy Walker

Washington-Franklin Medal for Excellence in American History

William Spasyk

Rennselaer Polytechnic Institute Gold Medal for Excellence in Mathematics and Science

Harry Foster McRell

Awards for Proficiency in Typewriting

Ernestine Emma Bence

Florence Janet Vincent

Jenny Elizabeth Jones



# Statistics

Prettiest Girl	Clara Sedgwick
Handsomest Boy	Robert Canfield
Most Popular Girl	Helen Coons
Most Popular Boy	Robert Canfield
Best All-round Girl	Helen Coons
Best All-round Boy	Edward Michelson
Most Business Like Girl	Ernestine Bence
Most Business Like Boy	Edward Michelson
Best Natured Boy	Edward Michelson
Best Natured Girl	Helen Sawyer
Cutest Girl	Lois Denison
Cutest Boy	Howard McGlynn
Best Girl Dancer	Mariellen Murphy
Best Boy Dancer	Leon Lombard
Wittiest Girl	Gertrude Stack
Wittiest Boy	Gunnar Peterson
Model Girl Student	Doris Hunt
Model Boy Student	Harry McRell
Most Carefree Girl	Marjorie Renne
Most Carefree Boy	Charles Barnes
Quietest Girl	Barbara Sherman
Quietest Boy	Philip Whitehill
Tallest Girl	Marjorie Carpenter
Tallest Boy	Robert Murphy
Shortest Girl	Rose Ricci
Shortest Boy	Lloyd Stokes
Best Girl Athlete	Marjorie Renne
Best Boy Athlete	Joseph Waitkoski
Class Baby	Jean Horelly
Class Actress	Nancy Walker
Class Actor	Leon Lombard
Class Orator	William Greenwood
Class Musician	Robert Eby
Class Poet	Esther Nicholsons
Class Giggler	Marjorie Renne
Class Artist	Alice Mary Rock
Class Fashion Plate	Nancy Walker
Cleverest Girl	Olga Duri
Cleverest Boy	Harry McRell
Best Dressed Boy	Leon Lombard
Class Pet, Girl	Lois Denison
Favorite Expression	Ha Cha
Most Popular Subject	U. S. History
Most Popular Woman Teacher	Miss Margaret Kaleher
Most Popular Man Teacher	Mr. Milton J. Herrick
Movie Actor	Clark Gable
Movie Actress	Joan Crawford
Class Pet, Boy	William Greenwood
Class Shiek	Leon Lombard
Class Vamp	Grace Ames
Class Prima Donna	Mary Huska
Best Boy Singer	Eugene Case
Class Clown	Paul Dixon
Favorite Sport	Football
Favorite Pastime	Necking
Favorite Color	Blue
Most Popular Song	Paradise
Favorite Flower	Pansy
Favorite Crooner	"Bing" Crosby
Favorite Radio Star	Eddie Cantor
Woman Hater	Donald Wood
Man Hater	Rebecca Gifford
Woman Chaser	Eugene Case

## Committees 1930 - 31

### Nominating Committee

Edward Hickey                      Helen Coons  
William Greenwood              Katherine Truden  
Foster McRell                      Elinor Buck

### Officers for Junior Year

Edward Hickey, *President*  
Robert Canfield, *Vice-President*  
Grace DeVoe, *Treasurer*  
Elinor Buck, *Secretary*

### Prom Committees

William Greenwood, *General Chairman*

### Reception

Lloyd Stokes                      Mary Parker  
Evelyn Roy                      Robert Eby  
Doris Hunt

### Tickets

Grace DeVoe                      Elinor Buck  
Edward Michelson              Dorothy Craik

### Decoration

Dorothy Schwarz              Edward Michelson  
Helen Coons                      Sam Boxer  
Robert Canfield              Walter Michel  
Eugene Catalano

### Refreshments

Fred Brazee                      Eugene Case  
Grace Ames                      Helen Crowley  
John Green

### Orchestra Committee

H. Foster McRell

## Committees 1931 - 32

### Ring Committee

Eugene Case                      Ernestine Bence  
Helen Coons                      William Sposyk  
Pauline Killian                      Lloyd Stokes

### Prophecy

Grace DeVoe                      Marjorie Young  
Marjorie Volin                      Betty Grand-Lienard  
Nancy Walker

### Play Committee

Jeannette Brewer              Helen Coons  
Edward Michelson              Leon Lombard  
Fred Brazee

### History

Lois Denison                      Foster McRell  
Jeanne Dorely                      Darwin Gallup  
Ernestine Bence                      Dorothy Schwarz  
Catherine Killeen

### Banquet

Orrington Tubbs              Edward Michelson  
Leon Lombard                      Jennie Jones  
Marjorie Young

### Class Day

Gunnar Peterson                      Jack Bennett  
Sidney Morey                      Pauline Kilian  
Helen Coons

### Pictures

Leon Lombard                      Orrington Tubbs  
Joseph Woitkoski

### Advertising Staff

Helen Coons                      Walker Hosmer  
Lily Renwall                      Edward Elms  
Augusta Lipscheez              James Baker

### Who's Who

Olga Duri                      Elaine Knollmeyer  
Ernestine Bence                      Orrington Tubbs  
Jeanne Dorely

### Statistics

Helen Sawyer                      Winifred Smith  
Barbara Roscoe                      Barbara Blake  
Davis Phinney                      Olga Duri

### Activities of Class

Jennie Jones                      Lois Denison  
Davis Phinney                      Barbara Blake

### School Activities

Harry Tooley                      Robert Eby  
Harry McRell                      Norman Ishler

### Class Will

Helen Coons                      Sidney Morey  
Darwin Gallup                      Elaine Knollmeyer  
Jennie Jones

### Athletics

Robert Canfield                      William Sposyk  
Paul Beaman                      Marjorie Renne

## Last Will and Testament of the June Class of 1932

Being of sound mind and body, we, the June Class of 1932, do hereby give and bequeath the following items:

To Miss Doris Carmel, a velvet-lined megaphone, designed and built for selective use in study hall 231.

To Mr. Innis, a new univent and a mimeograph machine, guaranteed smudgeless and flawless.

To Miss Power, the one and only authority on Shakespeare, one copy of *College Humor*.

To Miss Nagle, an engraved desk-sign, "Out to Lunch".

To Mr. Holly, a new leather case with a Yale lock for his lunch.

To Mr. McKenna, a pair of stilts.

To Miss Davison, a model of a stuffed monkey.

To Miss Newton, at least one class of model pupils.

To Miss Rieser, a new stop watch that won't register over sixty words a minute.

To Miss Mangan, experienced help so that it will not be necessary to "break in" new assistants.

To Mr. Nugent, the exclusive right of reading the "Balance Sheet" jokes to his bookkeeping classes.

To Miss Downs, a bottle of Spirits of Ammonia to revive her fainting pupils.

To Miss Downey, a package of envelopes so that she need not borrow them from the other commercial teachers.

To Mr. Leahy, the right to consume candy and gum in his classes providing he shares them with his pupils.

To Miss Prediger, the relief she will have when Dixon graduates.

To Mr. Lynch, a complete set of electrical devices with which to torture his unsuspecting pupils.

To Mr. John E. Joyce, Jr., M.A., a complete set of the works of Joe E. Brown, entitled "How to Resist Women."

To Mr. A. P. Goodwin, a set of dazzling white false teeth and a long black moustache to wear when he again hisses, "You can't beat the dead."

To Mr. Goodwin, a silencer for that buzz saw in the basement.

To Mr. Herberg, a bottle of mimeograph ink and a package of paper, so that future Math students will not get writer's cramp copying problems.

To Miss Ward, our excellent memories so that when she is teaching the intricacies of a dance she will not have to stop every few minutes to reread the directions.

To Miss McLaughlin, several bows to replace those broken by over-enthusiastic archers.

To Mr. Herrick, our condolences for losing the responsibility of being advisor of such a remarkable class, and we hope that he will not miss us too much.

To Miss Nicholsen, the difficult problem of explaining why exercise is prescribed for people who wish to reduce their weight.

To Mr. Geary, a whip, with the hope that with this, he may force his pupils to move swiftly enough to be satisfactory to him.

To Miss Kaliher, our sincere wishes that all her dates won't be historical ones.

To Miss Millet, the right to blush and smile when the darling little Sophomore B's ask if she is related to the great painter by the same name.

To "Fruit" Whitney, a banana knife with which to sharpen his pencils on Mr. Strout's desk.

To Mr. Carmody, a supersize megaphone so that his timorous voice may become as resounding as that of Lloyd Stokes.

To Mr. Stewart, three pounds of the best butter in town with which to smooth down his beautiful locks.

To Mr. Canavan, an intricate device perfected by Bob Eby with which to read the time from the hands of the clock.

To Mr. Hennessey, twelve grams of spice with which to pickle frogs and night-crawlers for his biology classes.

To the smallest undergraduate, a motheaten snakeskin coat which Ed Michelson finds is much too large for him.

To the undergraduates, the task of finding out the proper way to eat popsicles.

To the Junior A's and Senior B's the privilege of answering Mr. Murray's "Why".

Signed, sealed, and sworn to this 15th day of June in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two D.D. (During Depression) by the members of the school's most brilliant graduating class.

*Witnesses:* Becky Gifford's horse

Mr. Lynch's dumbest student

§ (Class seal)

## Reception For Senior Play Cast

ON Friday, May 13th, the cast of "The Royal Family" attended a reception and dance immediately following the presentation of the play, in the auditorium of the Women's Club. Miss Mary A. Kelly, dramatic coach, introduced each member of her group.

The Play Committee consisting of Mr. Milon J. Herrick, chairman, Jeanette Brewer, Leon Lombard, Edward Michelson, Fred Brazee, Helen Coons and Robert Canfield, also attended the affair.

## Address to the Faculty

*delivered at class day exercises June 14th, 1932*

Members of the Faculty:

Every school day of the past three years you have been addressing us. You have openly criticized our conduct and have spoken at length of our lack of cooperation. No matter how much we have longed to reply we have always refrained, realizing, perhaps, that discretion is the better part of valor. Now, at last, at the culmination of our high school career, there comes this golden opportunity for us to address you.

With tearful eyes we see a dismal future stretching ahead utterly devoid of the Latin prose lessons, English oral topics, History charts, pretty little deficiency slips, and golden mastery problems, which we have enjoyed so much in the past. How can we ever thank you for these pleasures? If it were only within our power to extend to you these same joys, how gladly we should do it!

Now, in a few days, we, the cream of the crop, shall be passing out of the portals of Pittsfield High School. We realize the deep sorrow you must feel at seeing us depart. Your faces are open books on which we have read of your awe at our supermentality. Well have you stood the storm of brilliant explanations to your humble questioning. Carefully have you read and profited by the written records of our master minds, that you might in some small measure enlighten the enthusiastic devotees of knowledge which follow. For this you are to be praised.

But, speaking with sincerity and seriousness, as the hour draws near when we are forced to say goodbye, the small difficulties are forgotten, and the debt of gratitude which we owe to you, members of the faculty, stands uppermost in our minds.

A teacher should not be one who merely injects facts into the pupil. A teacher should stimulate his pupil's interests and abilities. He should, by example and advice, teach the student how to live. We are unusually fortunate in that you have not only taught us facts but have, by your personalities and counsel, prepared us for the new world we are about to enter. We shall remember you not because of the subjects you have taught, but because of your ability to make us see and think clearly, and most of all, because of your great sympathy. We hope that we shall prove to you, by our deeds, that your hard work, patience, and understanding have not been in vain. It is impossible to express in words our deep appreciation and valuation of your friendship.

Though we are passing on to other fields of endeavor, you must remain to struggle with our successors. Your work, unlike ours, is never ended. You greet each new class with the same enthusiasm, the same zeal. To each you give the same friendship and assistance. We seldom stop to think how very difficult this must be.

These three years under your guidance have, without a doubt, been the happiest of our lives. We shall always think of you, not as severe task masters, but as true friends. We hope that the friends which we make in the future will be as worthy of the name as you have been.

Members of the faculty, it is with sorrow and regret that we must bid you farewell. In the words of Rip Van Winkle, "May you live long and prosper."

*Nancy Walker*



## Address to the Athletes

**W**HAT glorious years 1931 and 1932 have been in the athletic history of our school!

The host of athletes, both letter-men and members of the sub-squad, have made a record worthy of our highest commendation. We, the graduating class of June, 1932, are proud of them. Proud, because they proved the mettle of Pittsfield High School by clean playing. Proud,—because they received their defeats with true sportsmanship, and an undimmed determination to *win* the next encounter.

What a heritage is yours, you eager young athletes of future P. H. S. teams! The record which we have established, stands before you as a challenge! It is for you, the boy and girl athletes of the new era, to keep burning the torch of victory which has been passed on throughout the generations of our school's history.

It is for YOU to uphold the traditions which have been woven about our athletics—clean play, sportsmanship, and cooperation.

We are graduating,—but time cannot change our interest in the events which are to be written in the annals of the future. It is for you, the athletes of coming years, to carry on, and to leave a record equal to that of your predecessors.

Remember, however,

“Who misses or who wins a prize,  
Go,—lose or conquer if you can,  
But if you lose, or if you win,  
Be each, pray God, a gentleman.”

*Esther NicholSEN*

## Class Day Program

Assemble in Auditorium

Introductory Remarks

R. Canfield

Class History

L. Denison

Music

Address to Undergraduates

W. Greenwood

Address to Faculty

N. Walker

Piano Solo

V. Mela

Address to Athletes

E. NicholSEN

Vocal Solo

E. Case

Music

Pass Outside

Ivy Oration

D. Phinney

Planting of Ivy

Mr. Strout and R. Canfield

Remarks

Mr. Strout

Class Song

Pass Inside

## Selecting Rings

**I**T WAS the duty of the June 1932 class to select a ring with a design which would be the standard ring of all P.H.S. classes. Helen Coons, William Spasyk, Pauline Kilian, Eugene Case and Ernestine Bence were elected to choose the ring.

The first problem of the committee was to decide what companies should be asked to help in the selection of a class ring. Our class had received letters from many companies previous to the appointment of the committee. Ten from the list were selected and letters were sent to them with pictures of the dome of the high school and of the city seal inclosed. In answer to our letters we received drawings of rings.

The committee looked over the designs and after careful consideration, four were submitted to the class for a vote. The one that proved to be the popular choice was the one of the high school dome. Letters were again sent to the different companies, this time stating our exact plans for the ring. Representatives from the ten companies were sent to the school to speak to the committee on the respective merits of their rings and to answer any questions concerning them. Each one of the representatives left one or two rings with us so that we might examine them before making any decision. After the committee had carefully inspected the rings, four were finally selected and submitted to the class. By an almost unanimous vote the ring we now have, was selected.

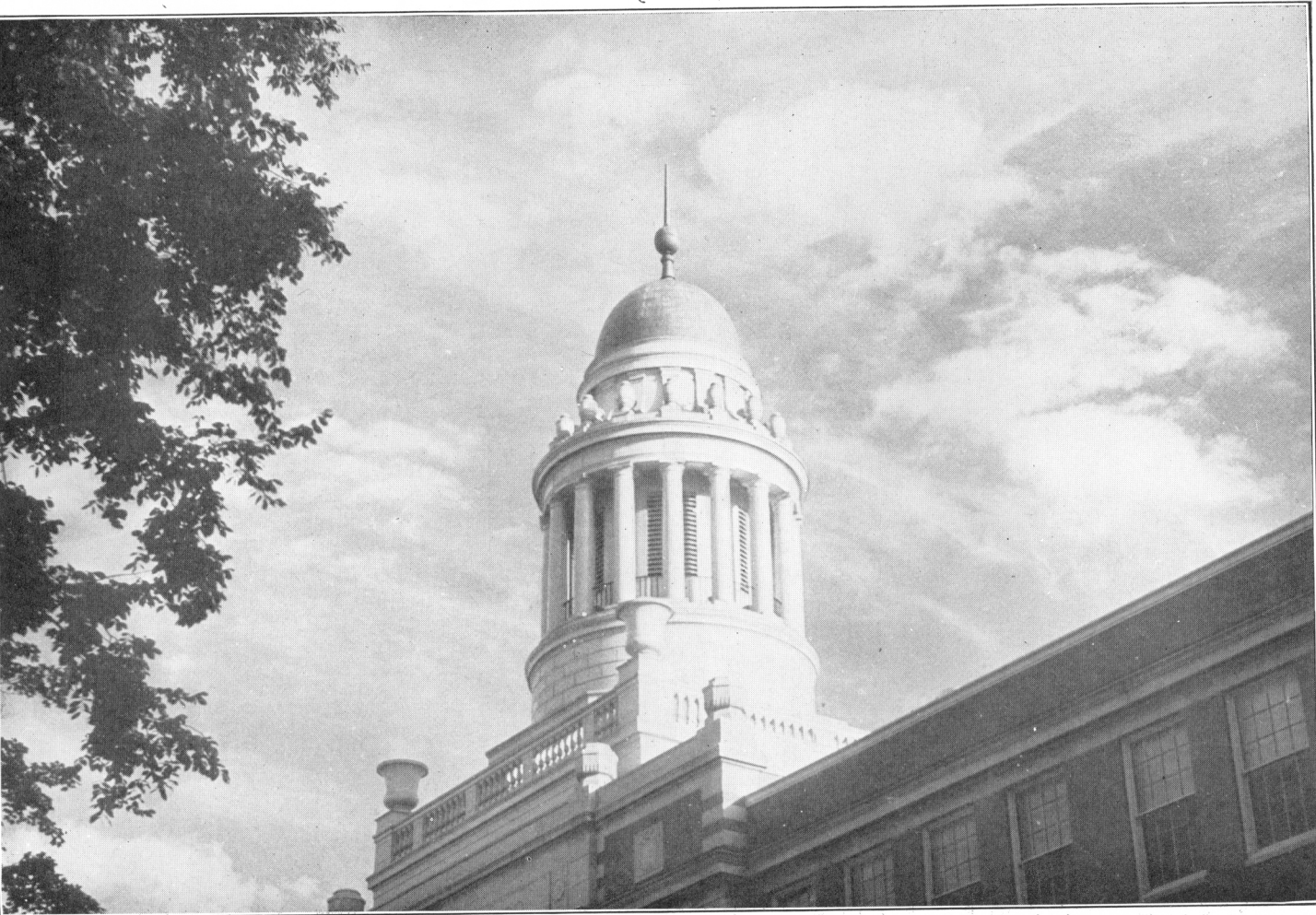
The ring was made by Dieges & Clust of Boston. It has the dome of the high school mounted on black onyx with the city seal and the figures "19" on one side of the shank, and the state seal and the figures "32" on the other side.

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## The Junior Prom

**T**HE LAST Junior Prom, held while we were in the old building, was sponsored by our class on Friday evening, June 10th, 1932 in the Girls' League gymnasium, in honor of the Class of 1931. An advance sale of tickets was so successful that the committees invested a large sum in the affair, engaging the most expensive orchestra in the Berkshires, decorating the hall elaborately, and securing flowers and palms. Treasurer Grace De Voe was just learning how to collect dues from the absent-minded so that our coffins did not contain the needed wherewithal to pay in advance.

Efforts to exclude alumni, students from nearby prep schools and others not in Pittsfield High School, were futile. So an unusually large gathering attended much to the despair of fast dancers. The profits from the affair, the evident happiness of our guests, and the sight of Mr. Murray, tuxedo-clad assisting Adviser Mr. Herrick, and an army of Juniors serving refreshments, are joyous memories which make us feel our Prom was an outstanding event.



## Extra-Curricular Activities

### The Student's Pen

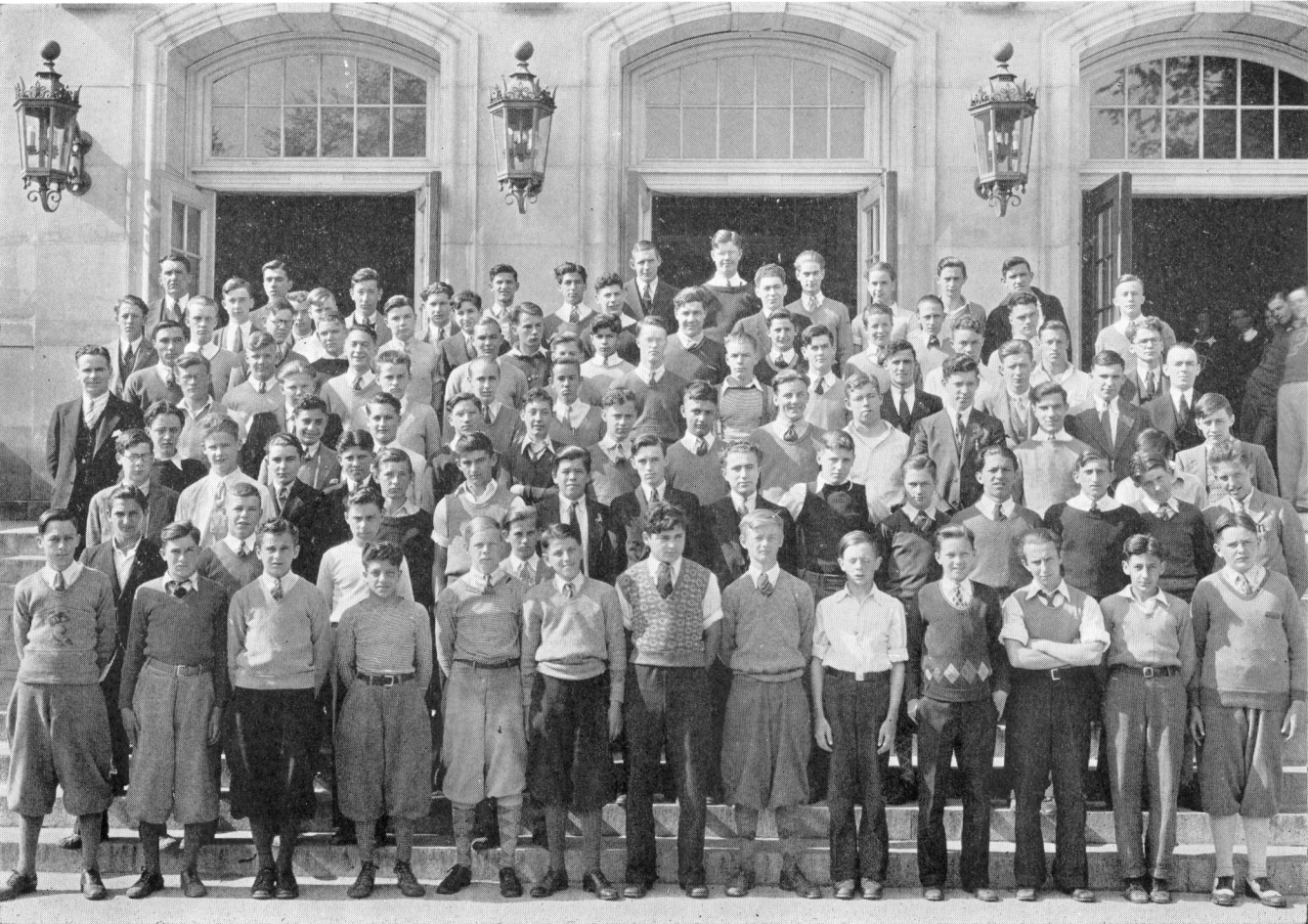
THE Student's Pen Club, organized in 1893, is the oldest club in Pittsfield High School. It is one of the few which survived through the years of the platoon system in the old building when most societies were discontinued.

*The Pen* was published at regular intervals from 1893 until 1904 when, owing to financial difficulties it ceased to appear. It was revived, however, in 1914. During these years it has kept school spirit alive, helped maintain interest in English composition, and has been of great assistance to the school in many ways. *The Pen* has been particularly popular not only among the present students, but those who have attended the school in the past forty years. It is something more than a literary publication; it is a part of P. H. S.

While the economic depression affected the welfare of many school papers, our periodical continued because of the remarkable work of the advertisement-solicitors whose efforts made *The Pen* self-supporting. Mr. Nugent's department deserves commendation for its achievement.

The editorial staff under the leadership of Miss Pfeiffer founded the weekly news-sheet *Penpoints* on January 6, 1932. A news story in the third edition of the mimeographed journal regarding the inability of the auditorium to seat the entire student body was republished in *The Berkshire Evening Eagle* and printed verbatim in the editorial column. Thus, *Penpoints* editors received considerable publicity in a short time.

A suggestion that *The Pen* be changed from a literary monthly to a weekly newspaper created much interest. Organizations and English classes debated the matter. Students voted to continue *The Pen* as a monthly periodical.



THE SCIENCE CLUBS



## The Science Club

**M**OST of the technically inclined students of P.H.S. have flocked to the Science Club to further their knowledge and understanding of scientific subjects. The Science Club, which as a whole contains about one hundred members, is divided into three parts: the Radio and Electricity Club, the Chemistry Club, and the Aviation Club.

The first-mentioned of these is headed by Robert Eby and Mr. Russell. The special province of this division is, as the title suggests, in experiment with radio and high frequency electricity. This group totals about 25 members.

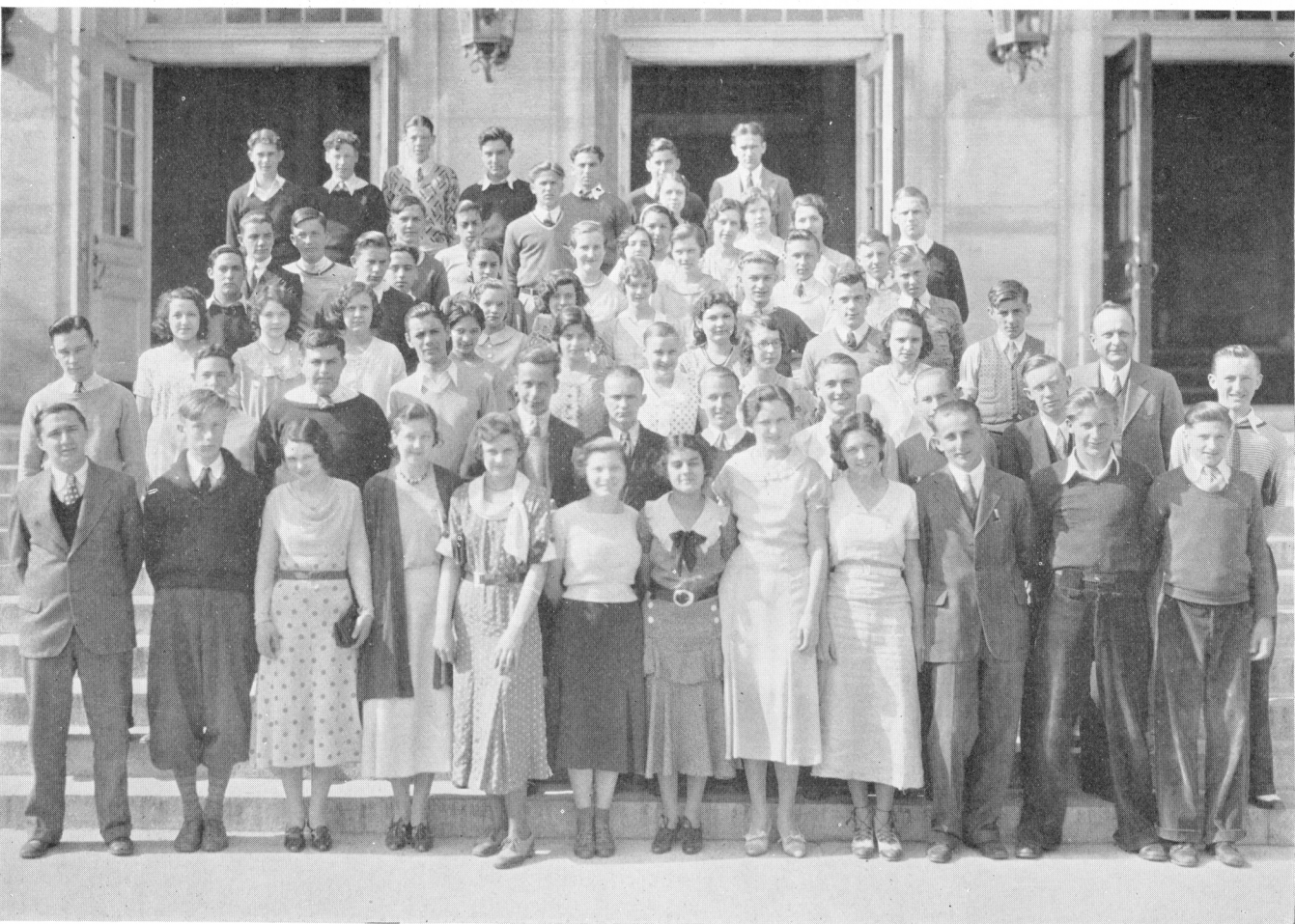
The Chemistry Club is led by Karl McEachron and consists of about 35 members. For beginners in chemistry, special programs are held which include the performance of several simple experiments and the reading of papers by club members on the subject of these experiments. The photography group is for the more experienced members who study both the chemistry of photography and its practical application. Its instructor is Mr. Leahy.

The Aviation Club attracts many students to its rapidly expanding field of study. The president of this club is Alan Seymour, and its instructor is Mr. Joyce. Their activities include both the study of airplane motors and the airplane construction itself as well as the construction of models. There are about 35 enthusiasts in the club.

Combined, the entire Science Club presented an assembly to the school on Friday, April 22. The Radio and Electricity Club put on a startling exhibition of high frequency electricity phenomena. The Aviation Club displayed a club-made glider as well as innumerable models of both gliders and planes. The Chemistry Club burlesqued a lecture by two absent-minded German professors who were to speak (with demonstrations) on the topic of explosives. All of the explosives used in the performance were made exclusively by members of the Chemistry Club.

So, for those technically minded, the Science Club will afford a most interesting and educational program.

Due to the kind and whole-hearted co-operation of Mr. Russell, Mr. Leahy and Mr. Joyce, the assembly program was a great success.



THE MODERN LANGUAGE CLUBS

## Modern Language Clubs

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### The French Club

**M**ANY students of French who like the subject but who find it rather lacking in background and interest have joined the French club to learn more about this language and its enjoyment. With Miss Millet as instructor, the thirty-three members have endeavored in as many ways as possible to make the French language more interesting and easier to understand.

In this connection they have put on for their benefit and pleasure, several musical programs. They have also taken up a rather extensive study of the geography of France in order to create a better background for the language itself. At present they are working on the preparation of a puppet show under the direction of John Adams.

An exceptionally fine meeting was enjoyed when Miss Morse of the History department spoke to the club on the political situation in France at the present time.

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### The German Club

**T**HE "Deutscher Verein", consisting of twenty-three members, devotes its time to the study of Germany and her people. Customs, government, geography, and history, together with a study of poetry and music, have been made the chief topics of discussion. The members of the club are corresponding regularly with students in Germany. It is hoped that in the near future the club will be able to make a study of contemporary German literature. Mr. Innis is the leader of the group.

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### The Spanish Club

**T**HE Spanish Club or "Círculo Español", under the direction of Miss Helen Warren, has made a study of Spain and the customs and life of her people.

A study of Spanish parliamentary terms has been made thus permitting the meetings of the club to be largely carried on in Spanish. On April fifteenth the club observed the first anniversary of the Spanish Republic, topics and articles being given pertaining to the founding and success of the new Republic.



STUDENTS' COUNCIL

## Students' Council

**T**HE Student Council, since its establishment in 1928, has sponsored many worthwhile undertakings. It is composed of twenty-one members and is the official representative of the entire student body.

The chief purpose of the Council is to create a closer relationship between the teachers and students of P.H.S., an undertaking in which it has been most successful. This body supervises the traffic system, making quick and orderly passing possible. It also assists with assemblies, thus helping to keep school spirit alive. In all of its undertakings the Council has been most successful and it forcefully brings out the value of student government.

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### STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS

#### Senior A Class

William Greenwood  
Edward Michelson  
Robert Canfield  
Edward Hickey  
Jennie Jones

#### Senior B Class

Floyd Hinckley  
Mary Mennen  
Francis Manvel  
David Cullen III  
Wallace Jordan

#### Junior A's

Jean Roser  
Alma Griffen  
Ruth Boutwell  
Harold Burch  
Joseph McMahon  
Lucy Eulian

#### Junior B's

Marjorie Nichols  
Helen Cranston

#### Sophomore A's

Muriel Kemp  
Edward Rushbrook

#### Sophomore B's

Max Gimblitt  
Donald Burbank





THE MODERN LITERATURE AND THE MUSIC APPRECIATION CLUB

### **The Music Appreciation Club**

**O**NE OF the smallest, but finest of our school organizations is the Music Appreciation Club. Under the leadership of Miss McCormick, the members have delved deeply into the study of all kinds of music, in all its various phases, and have obtained a truly worthwhile education and background of appreciation.

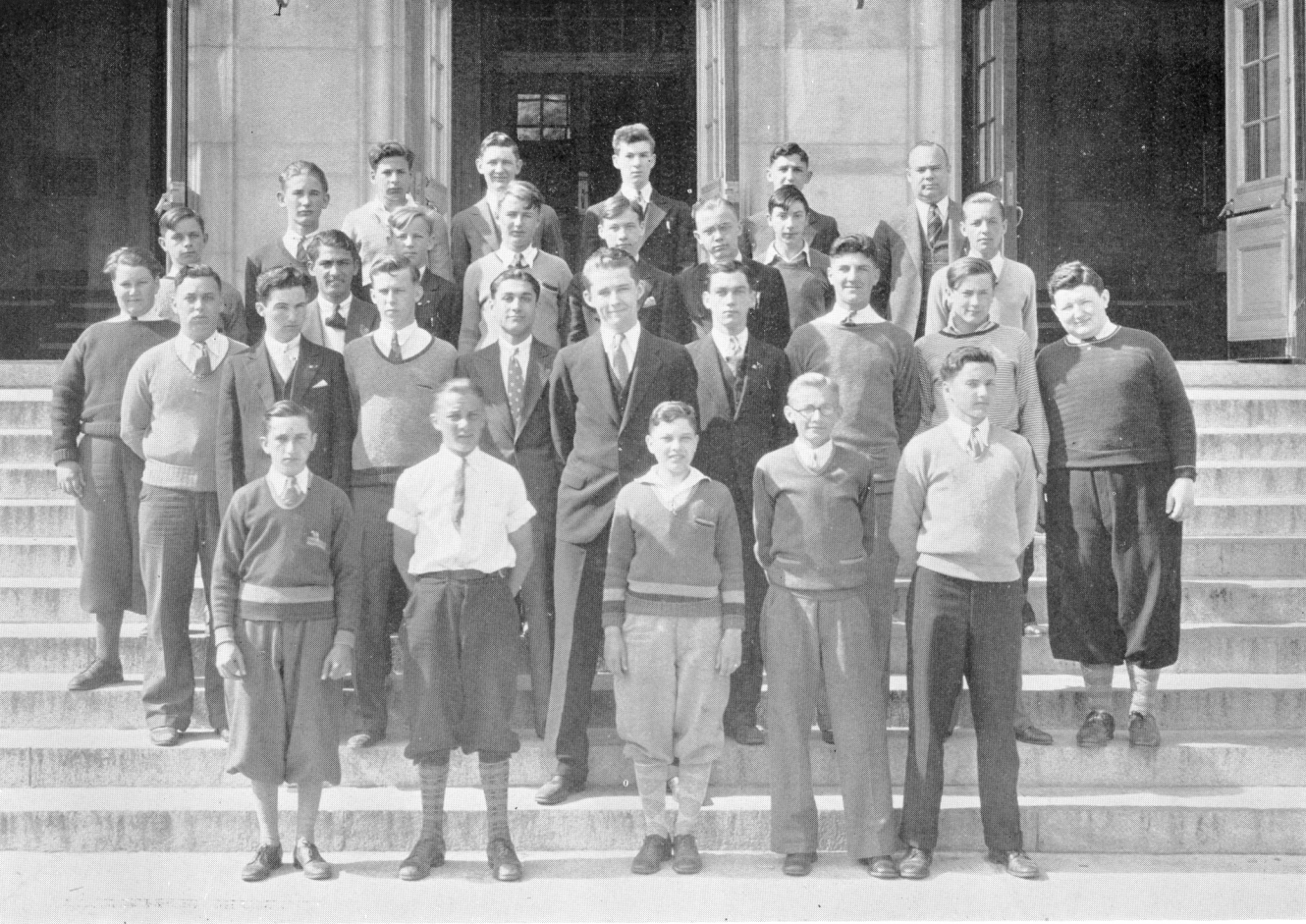
As a body they have sought for a true understanding of music and have found it to a greater extent than before. The members themselves have brought to the club both examples and information regarding music. Their work has occasionally been supplemented by members of the orchestra and Glee Club. Due to the generosity of Wood Brothers and Wallace Company, the club has been privileged to enjoy many kinds of music from Victrola records and on one occasion a Damrosch broadcast was heard.

This club is evidently the place for real music-lovers to congregate and to increase their scope and education in their favorite subject.

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### **The Modern Literature Club**

**T**HE Modern Literature Club with a membership of ten was formed to help students acquire knowledge of the best American literature which is not read as part of high school work. The club under the leadership of Miss Power has read many short stories, poems and essays, and has held discussions concerning various works and authors.



THE DEBATING CLUB

## Debating Club

THE Debating Club is one of the leading clubs in the school. During its eventful career it has fostered participation in the various contests which have been held in the auditorium. The Oratorical Contest has been won by a member of this club every year.

Each year the Debating Club selects a team to represent Pittsfield High in the County Debating League. Last winter under the coaching of Mr. Lynch, the team captured the Berkshire County Championship. The victorious team, which was undefeated, was composed of Capt. Greenwood, Edward Michelson, Marjorie Cummings, and Elihu Klein, alternate. The Negative team suffered but one defeat.

This year's Affirmative was composed of Capt. Greenwood, Edward Michelson, Hugh Downey, and Foster McBell, alternate. The Negative team was composed of Capt. Hinckley, Wm. McKenna, Harold Burch, and Walter Murphy, alternate. The Affirmative won over Adams, but the Negative suffered a two to one defeat from the hands of Drury.

It is with pride, that the members of the Debating Club look back on its history; for by its accomplishments, it has done much to maintain the ideals of the school on the pinnacle of esteem.

### Club Officers—1932

*President*, Hugh Downey

*Vice-President*, Bruce Burnham

*Secretary*, Walter Murphy

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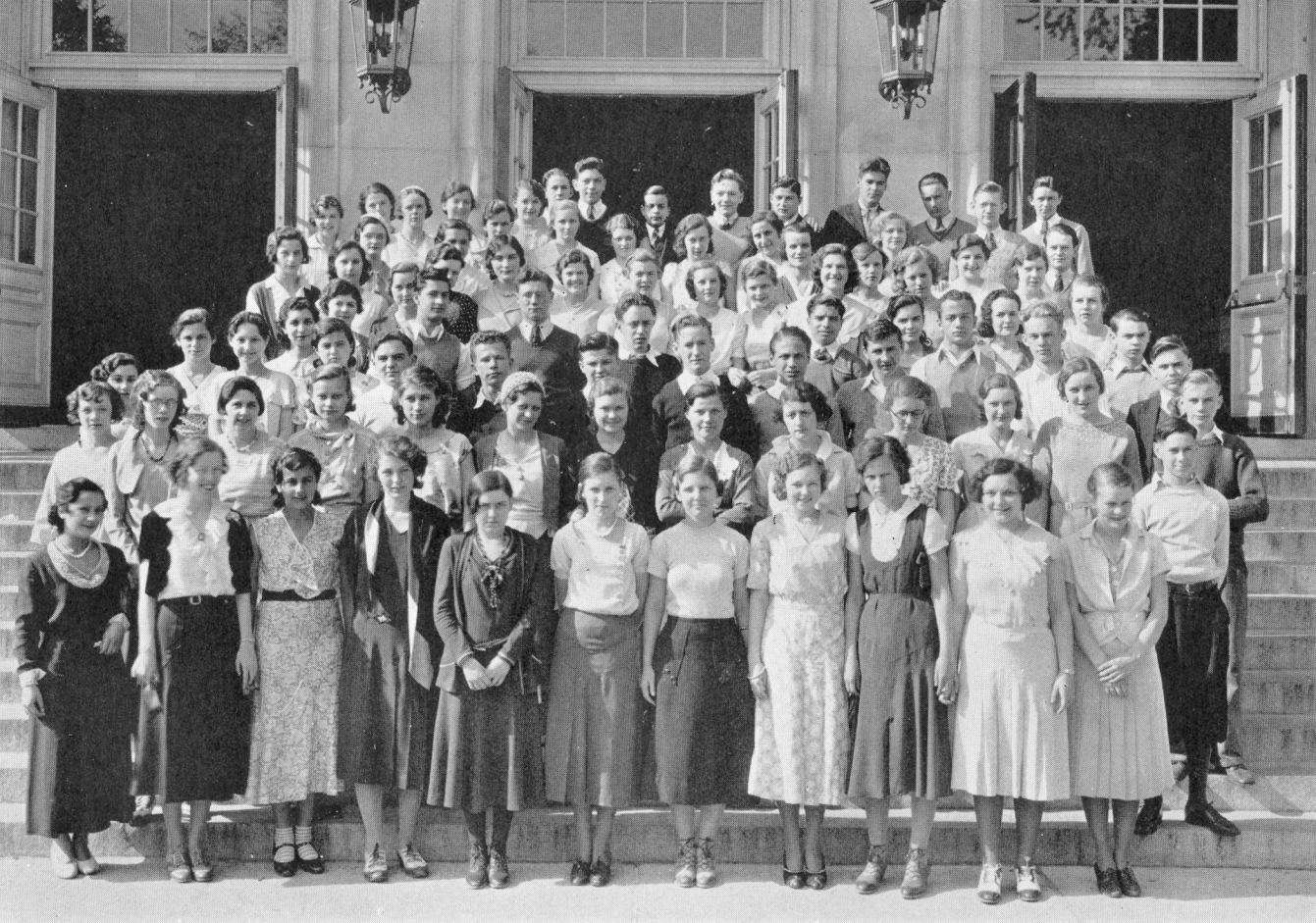
## The Musical Organizations

THE study of vocal and instrumental music is a most popular extra-curricular activity at P.H.S. An orchestra, band, and glee club constitute the musical representatives of our institution.

Sixty students play in the orchestra, which in fifteen years has grown from an aggregation of six members to its present size. The orchestra has appeared many times in the pit of the school auditorium for evening performances of local theatrical groups as well as for other events.

In 1929 the band was organized to play at football and basketball games. This year, all school musicians conducted a concert to help the band members purchase uniforms. A fund for this purpose is rapidly swelling and it is hoped that the musicians will be outfitted in the fall.

The Glee Club has one hundred and thirty-five members, of which fifty are boys.



DRAMATIC CLUBS



## The Dramatic and Public Speaking Clubs

**T**HE five Dramatic and Public Speaking Clubs, with a total membership of nearly one hundred, have gone far in helping pupils to acquire poise and confidence when appearing in public. This has been accomplished by programs of reading, the dramatizing of short plays, and the presentation of mock trials. Two of the clubs combined in a presentation in the auditorium. Leaders of the clubs are Miss Baker, Miss Downey, Miss Kelly, Mr. A. P. Goodwin, and Mr. Huban.

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### Mr. Goodwin's Club

Helen Coons, *President*

William Donaldson, *Vice-President*

Dorothy Craik, *Secretary*

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### Mr. Huban's Club

Dorothy Schwarz, *President*

Margaret McNicoll, *Vice-President*

Virginia Rose, *Secretary*

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### Miss Downey's Club

Vivian Mela, *President*

Elinor Finn, *Vice-President*

Donald Goeway, *Secretary*

The groups which are supervised by Miss Kelly and Miss Baker worked together throughout the 1931-1932 school year. They have no officers.



THE LATIN CLUB

## The Latin Club

THE work of the Latin Club of the Pittsfield High School has had for its purpose the filling up of the gaps left by the regular Latin classes. In relatively large groups, whose members are being trained principally with the College Boards and similar examinations in view, it is manifestly impossible, under any ordinary public school system to journey very frequently or very far down the pleasant by-paths which are always inviting the student of the classics. The Latin Club has, accordingly, sought, during the past year, to provide an opportunity for students who felt so inclined to acquaint themselves with the less formal and functional and more cultural aspects of Latin, to acquire some familiarity with the personalities and times of the men who made the Roman nation great, and to consider the Roman art, law, literature, and religion, and classical civilization generally, noting the aspects of these subjects which were of most importance in Roman days, and those which most influence our lives at the present time. As is necessarily the case with a more or less extra-curricular activity having so comprehensive a program, the club has neither hoped for nor expected to be able to give an exhaustive treatment to any of these subjects. We have merely sought to enrich the study of the classics for our members and to increase their enjoyment of them by removing the Romans from their pedestal as "togas stuffed with straw" and showing them to have been intensely real and human people, humorous or grave, repulsive or admirable, as the case might be. In this endeavor it is most sincerely to be hoped that we have in some degree succeeded.

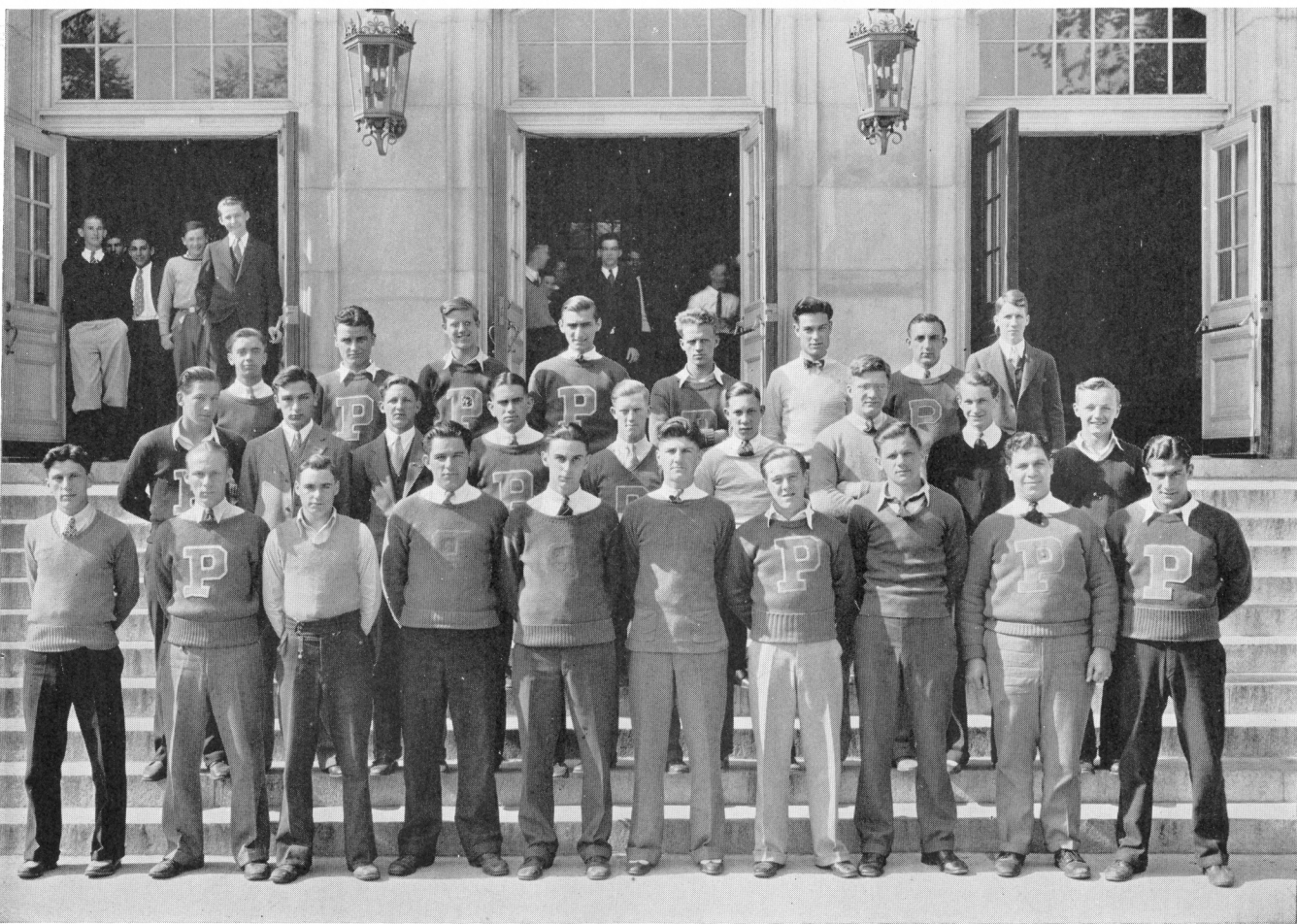
The basis of our method of procedure has been the preparation by various individual members of papers on subjects related to the classics, the lives of Roman authors and statesmen. Roman life and culture, and other phases of ancient civilization.

Especial emphasis has been laid throughout the year upon the relationship between the English and Latin languages, and upon the aid which English-speaking peoples may derive toward the proper understanding and use of their own tongue from a knowledge of Latin. Much attention has also been paid to a consideration of the practical value of classical studies in general and the study of Latin in particular.

During the year the Club has had the pleasure of having as its guests for one meeting each Miss Conlon and Miss Nagle, both members of the Classical Department and honorary members of the club. Miss Conlon spoke on the life of Roman boys and girls, and Miss Nagle gave a lecture on various points of classical interest, illustrating her discourse profusely with lantern slides. This last meeting was held in the auditorium and all students of Latin in the school attended as guests of the Latin Club.

The services to the club of its advisor, Mr. William D. Goodwin, head of the Classical Department, have been of the greatest value. Mr. Goodwin has given several interesting and valuable talks to the club during the year, and at all times his classical learning, general culture, and administrative ability have served to enrich the club meetings and make its business run smoothly.

For the first semester, the officers were: President, Edward S. Willis, Vice-President, William A. Burns, Jr., Secretary, and Treasurer, Samuel Wagner, Executive Committee, the foregoing and Kenneth Ritchie and Sidney Zuckermann. At the beginning of the second semester, the club was deprived of the services of its Secretary, and Miss Marion Gale was unanimously elected to succeed him. Miss Marguerite Donna was elected a member of the Executive Committee.



THE VARSITY CLUB

## Varsity Club

THE Varsity Club, established by Mr. Carmody several years ago, was revived last fall by Coach Stewart. Any letterman is eligible for membership in the group.

The present membership consists of twenty-five. The club was organized to promote sports, improve conditions for the athlete, and to help the school in any possible manner. Under the leadership of Coach Stewart the rules of the current sports have been studied, not only because some of the members intend to take up athletics as a career, but to make the members more intelligent spectators of all sports.

Starting with the June 1932 class the Varsity Club awards a medal at graduation time to the outstanding school athlete. Joseph Woitkoski was the first to receive the medal.

Coach Stewart and Coach Carmody are the advisers of this organization which requires all aspirants for membership to win at least one letter in some sport. The boys cooperated with the Hi-Y Clubs and a dance was sponsored to help the Athletic Association treasury. Because the School Committee does not sanction more than four school parties a year, the athletes could not hold dances under the auspices of the Varsity Club.

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## The Tap Dancing Club

The Tap Dancing Club, consisting of fifty-two members, organized to learn the latest steps in that type of dancing, including the new soft shoe step. It trains girls and gives them a start in learning stage dancing. Miss Ward is leader of the group.

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## The Handwork Club

With the organization of the Handwork Club, which now consists of twelve members, the girls of the school are given an excellent opportunity to follow the special branches of handwork in which they are now interested. Each member pursues her favorite line of work, and, under the instruction of Miss Riley, is able to have practical and valuable information and practice.



### Current Events Club

THE Current Events Club meets under the direction of Miss Casey. It has about fifteen members. This club undertakes intensive study of the important questions of the day. They have taken up the five and the ten year plans of Russia, the Geneva Conference, and disarmament, taxation and balancing the budget. Also, in honor of his bi-centennial they have made a study of George Washington—his history and his relationship to the world today.

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### Health Club

THE Health Club is in charge of Miss McLaughlin. It has thirty-two members. Their aim is to improve their health and appearance. The club discusses such matters as general care of the body, posture, and community health. The girls rate themselves on general attractiveness by means of score sheets.

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### Etiquette Club

THE Etiquette Club is one of the most popular clubs in the school. It has about seventy members and is in three divisions, under Miss Kaliher, Miss Parker and Miss Hodges. The aim of the members is to learn the etiquette necessary for ordinary use. Each section in turn meets with Miss Harvey of the Household Arts department to hear a lecture on table etiquette. The club is seeking to obtain speakers on other phases of etiquette. When not listening to these talks, the members have a general discussion of matters of social interest, such as introductions, correspondence and dress.

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### Commercial Machine Club

THE Commercial Machine Club was organized with fifteen members. This club gives students, particularly seniors, an opportunity to review the use of the machines and acquire speed and efficiency. It offers an opportunity for one to become thoroughly familiar with the machines used in commercial studies.

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### The Mathematics Club

MR. Herberg's Mathematics club is a reorganized group of a similiar society which devoted much time to the study of the interesting phases of the subject.

The *Pittsfield Mathematician* was an innovation of the new club, however. Its publication now and then is the main purpose of the mathematicians. Our classmates who have belonged to the club have helped edit two issues, numbers with tricky problems, puzzles, and humorous mathematical mysteries. Fifteen members prepare copy and print the publication.

# Athletics

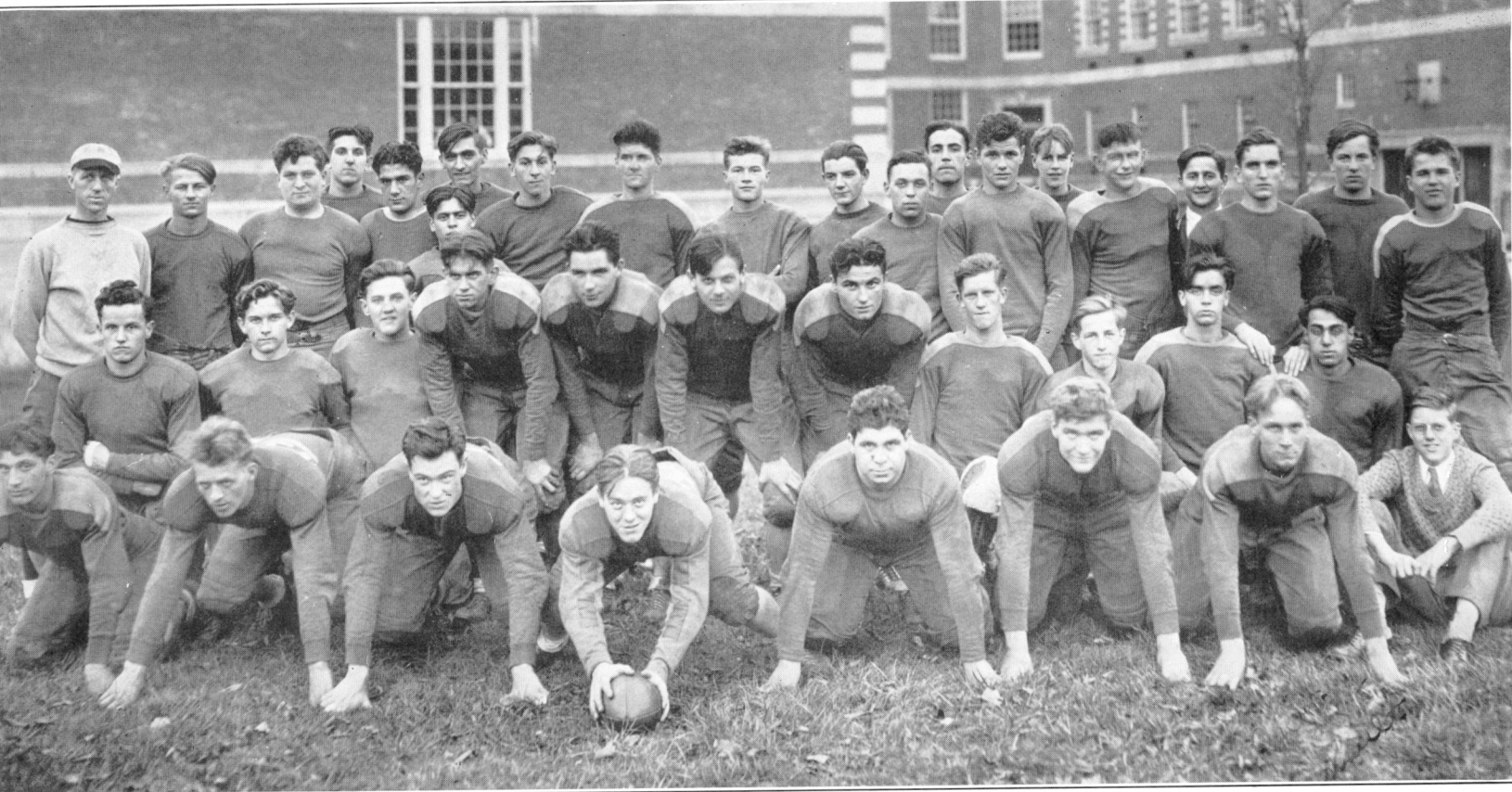
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## In the Class of 1932

YOU are to be congratulated on the completion of your stay at Pittsfield High School. However, the writer experiences a feeling of regret that the class which entered as he assumed the athletic coaching duties, is shortly to sever its active connection with the school. Your class has acquitted itself admirably and may well be proud of its success and achievements. The number and type of athletes produced by your class has been far above the average. They have had a large part in the numerous championships and victories which have been brought to P.H.S. during your three years here. It has been a great pleasure to work with you in the field and in the gym—you have made work play. May you profit by your experiences and contacts here to carry on in the larger field, overcoming the sure-to-be encountered obstacles of life, attaining that position in the world which will bring honor to you, even as you, by your deeds, have brought honor to you school.

*Charles E. Stewart*

*Coach*



THE FOOTBALL TEAM, 1931

## Football, 1931

**D**URING the 1931 football season a team, unusual in all respects, represented the Purple and the White. About a hundred candidates, many of whom were veterans, reported to Coach Charles Stewart early in September, and it appeared that P. H. S. would make a strong bid to win the mythical Western Massachusetts championship for the second consecutive year.

In the first few games Pittsfield made a good showing. Highland was soundly trounced in the opening contest of the season on the new Common playing field. The following week Pittsfield was forced to encounter defeat at the hands of the New Britain (Conn.) High School grid combine. However this was no disgrace, as the Purple and White team was outweighed thirty pounds to a man, and the resulting margin of victory was surprisingly low. In the next three games the team's morale weakened considerably. Tie games were played with Poughkeepsie and Drury, and a loss was suffered at the hands of Adams. All three of these teams were inferior to the Pittsfield aggregation and should have been beaten.

Very few football teams, when they experience a midseason loss of morale, ever find it possible to regain it before the end of the season. However, this did not prove to be the case with Pittsfield. Under the influence of Coach Stewart the boys rallied, and in their next contest outplayed the highly reputed Holyoke eleven, surprising even the most optimistic rooters for the Purple and White. Finally P. H. S. closed its season by defeating St. Joseph's High for the city championship. This last feat made up for the poor showings in midseason, because beating St. Joseph's in the annual classic is a most-desired victory.

Through graduation, the team will lose "Albie" Dixon, a fine center; Chiodo and Canfield, who held down guard positions; Larsen, a high grade tackle; Marchisio and Anderson, a pair of clever ends; and Woitkoski, Ayers, Spasyk, and Capt. Allen, three backfield players who acquitted themselves admirably throughout the past season.

Jack Curtin, a Junior, is captain of the 1932 eleven.



THE BASKETBALL TEAM, CITY CHAMPIONS, 1932



## The Basketball Season

THE Pittsfield High School basketball team, in spite of its poor start last December, had a successful season. Although defeated in the first few games, the quintet improved under the able training of Coach Stewart, and began to defeat its opponents, closing the season in most creditable fashion by defeating the powerful St. Joseph's aggregation in two bitterly fought games, an accomplishment which former Purple and White teams had failed to achieve during the last six successive years. Both games, from beginning to end, were fiercely contested. Many fouls were called, caused in many cases by the slippery floor of the Pittsfield Auditorium. Although two of the St. Joseph's stars were on the injured list, the rest of the team put up a game fight losing the first game by a 23-22 score.

In the second game the two St. Joseph's stars returned to the lineup, but the fine work done by the Hickey-Ramsay guard combination, made them helpless. Although two of the Pittsfield regulars were ousted from the game by the personal foul route, Coach Stewart had a good set of substitutes, who played well.

Even though the Purple and White quintet was defeated in ten out of their nineteen games, they succeeded in downing their old rival, Drury, in close games, and they defeated Adams, Dalton, Poughkeepsie, the Boys' Club, and St. Joseph's of North Adams.

Captain Joe Woitkoski was an aggressive leader and high scorer, with 98 points for the season, while Dixon had 74.

In spite of the fact that only one regular will be left next year, Coach Stewart is looking forward to a most successful season, and even has hopes of winning the State Championship, and then the National Interscholastic Basketball Tournament, as the 1924 team under Coach Carmody almost succeeded in doing.

Next year, although we will have graduated, we will all be cheering for you, Pittsfield High, and we are looking forward to see you put Pittsfield on the map in the sports world.



THE JUNIOR GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM, HIGH SCHOOL CHAMPIONS, 1932

# Girls' Athletics

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## Basketball

THE Junior girls' basketball team is in possession of the Interclass Girls Basketball Championship by virtue of their victories over the Senior and Sophomore classes. The Juniors won by such large margins, in most cases, that there was no doubt about their supremacy.

Members of the team are: Captain Louise Zahn, Anna Berte, Lucy Eulian, Vera Wilker, Geraldine Smith, and Mable Bastow. The girls were coached by Miss Ward.

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## Swimming

AS USUAL, the girls of P. H. S. had a strong tank team this season, two meets with Worcester resulting in victories for the girls representing the Purple and White.

Members of the varsity team, and the events in which they compete are as follows:

Free Style—D. Choiniere, M. Miller, M. Renne.

Breast Stroke—D. Poulin, M. Malay, E. Shortell.

Back Crawl—M. Miller, M. Renne, R. Raigen.

Diving—M. Renne, I. Lightman.

Relay—D. Choiniere, M. Renne, A. Kelley, and M. Miller.

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## Other Sports

The girls have been practicing daily in the rear of the school in preparation for an Interclass Baseball Tournament which was scheduled to take place in the near future.

In the middle of the year, a track meet for girls was held in the gym, and it proved to be such a success that an outdoor meet was considered.

A new sport, archery, has been originated for girls at P. H. S. At present only Seniors are allowed to participate. This form of activity has been in existence but a few weeks. Nevertheless, contests already have been planned.

This is the first year that the girls of P. H. S. have had a chance to do much in the way of athletics, and it has been a pleasure to see the way in which they have been taking advantage of their new opportunities. As the class of June, 1932 departs from Pittsfield High School it leaves with the girl athletes its best wishes for future success in their athletic endeavors.



THE BASEBALL TEAM

## Baseball, 1932

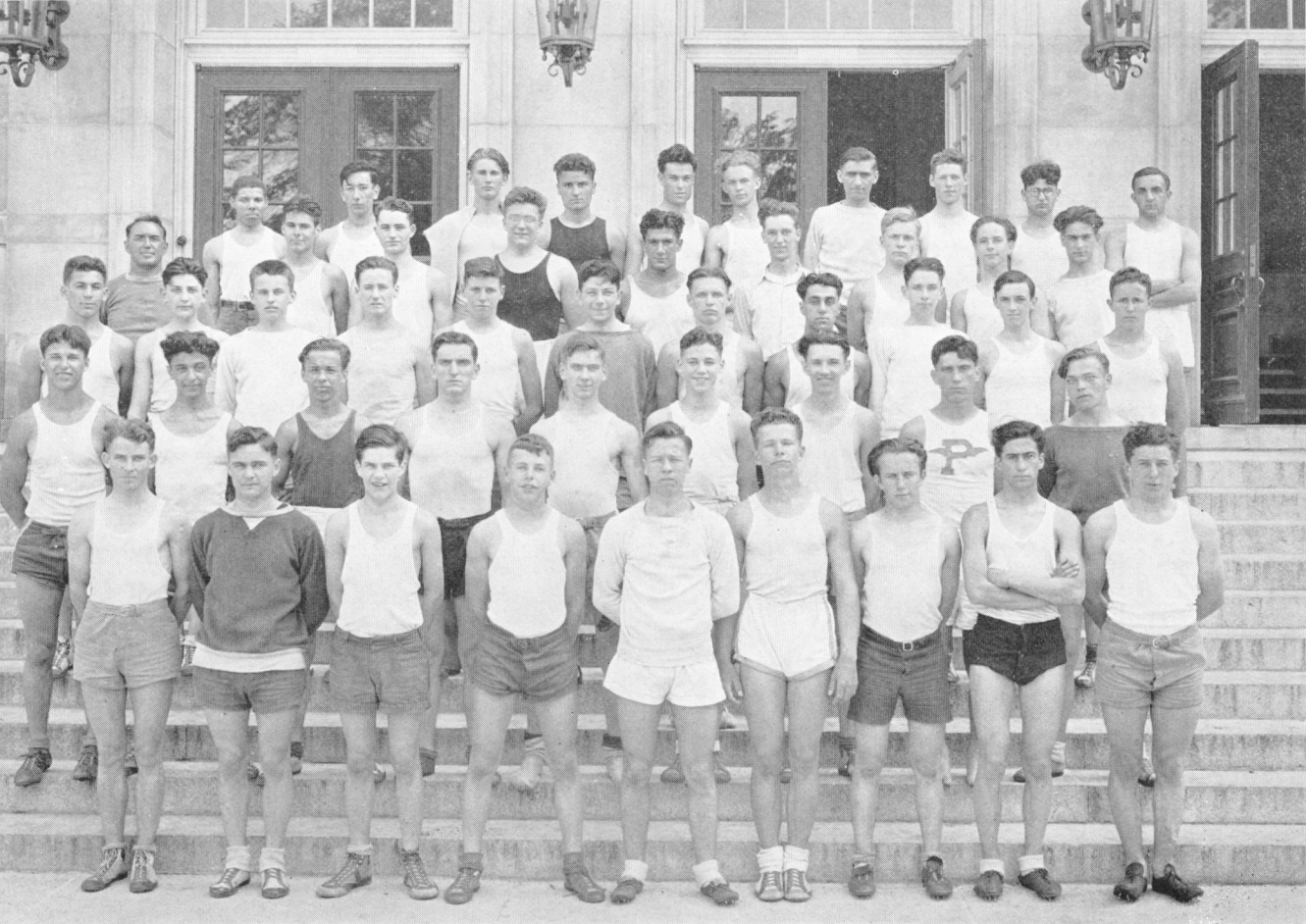
ON Monday, April 4, more than a hundred candidates for positions on the baseball team reported to Coach Stewart, thereby proving that football and basketball were not the only sports in which there is interest at P. H. S.

Captain Floyd Hinckley and Ed. Hickey have formed a smooth working and experienced battery. Hickey did most of the mound work, while Hinckley was often in action behind the plate. Bonnivier, Servis, Woitkoski, and Engle held down infield positions; Wesley, and Gorman took care of outfield posts. All the above mentioned were last year's lettermen, while Capra, Controy, Phelan, Barnini, Rodgers, Dixon, Martin, and Kazberovich were the most promising of the unseasoned candidates. These men showed up so well that the veterans had to step right along in order to hold their positions. With such a wealth of material, Coach Stewart developed a strong nine.

A 7-1 victory for the Pittsfield High School nine over St. Joseph's on the General Electric A. A. diamond on June 4th, brought to an end a most successful year for all our athletic teams. The Thanksgiving day triumph at Wahconah Park, the sensational battles for the City Championship in basketball in the Pittsfield Auditorium and the closing tilt in baseball brought much satisfaction to all.

While Coach Stewart entered with us, we are as joyous as the rest of the school that he will not graduate—that he will continue his work of building men as well as to victorious teams.





THE TRACK TEAM

## Track, 1932

**A**FTER having suffered through lack of interest for the past six or seven years, track seems to be regaining its rightful place among sports at Pittsfield High. This is due to the efforts of the coaches of Berkshire County to revive the county meets which formerly were annual affairs. As a result, Williams College is sponsoring a meet for all the high schools of Berkshire County. This event was scheduled to take place in June 1932.

The squad was fortunate in having an able and experienced coach in Mr. Carmody. Daily workouts were held under his direction, and he hoped to secure one or two meets in addition to that at Williams. An informal meet was recently arranged with Berkshire Prep, in which the aspirants to track fame received valuable experience.

Ben Kincaid, a broad jumper of ability, was captain. He was the only letterman left from last year's squad.

Coach Carmody should be congratulated for his initiative in putting track back on its feet as a sport at P. H. S.

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### The Track Team

Ben Kincaid, *Captain*

Herzig	Canrilla
Dominick	Dean
Kidney	Shelsey
Montsinger	A. Gull
Marchetto	D. Smith
Donaldson	R. Hawley
Bradley	Sias
Winters	W. Spasyk
Eddy	R. Smith
Canfield	Mayes
Zarvis	Michelman
Dixon	W. Plouffe
Balmer	Pedrotli
Feldman	Walsek
Nykorchuk	M. Woitkoski
Finch	Curtin
Marchisio	D. Keller

Robert Stickles, *Assistant Manager*

Lucien Dupuis, *Assistant*

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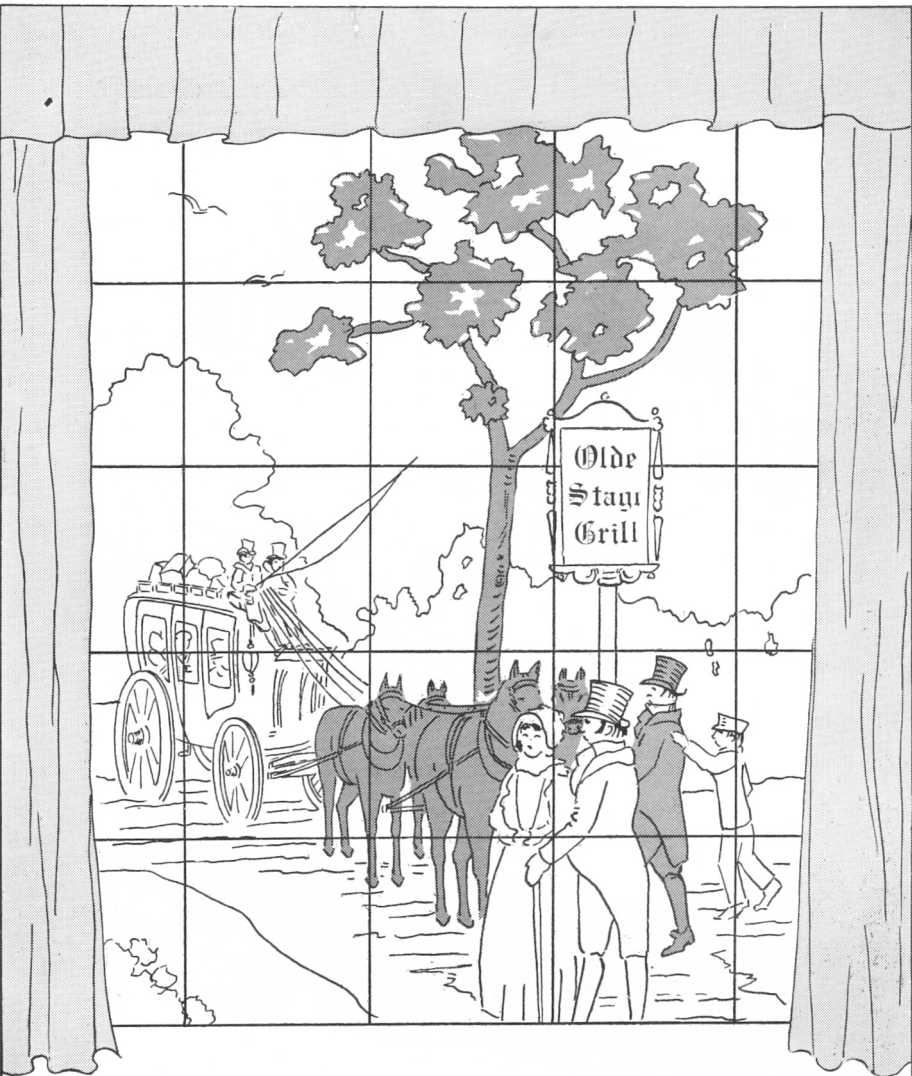
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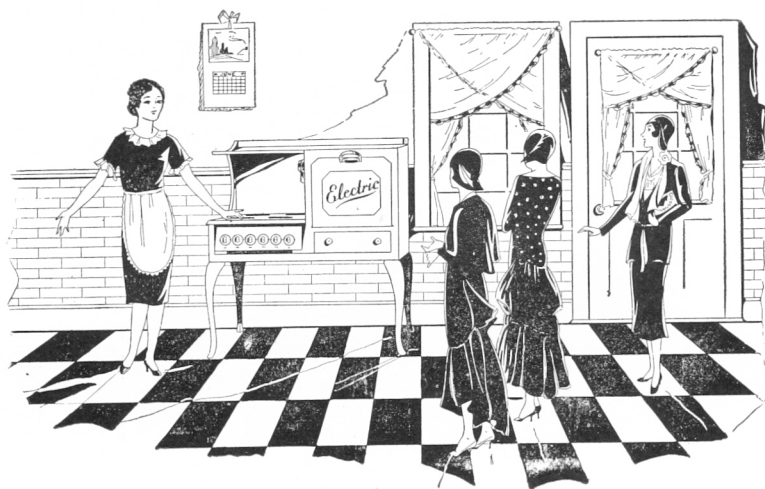


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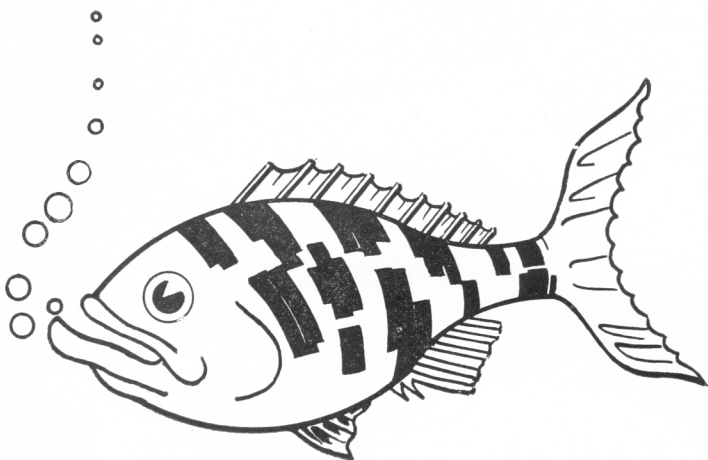
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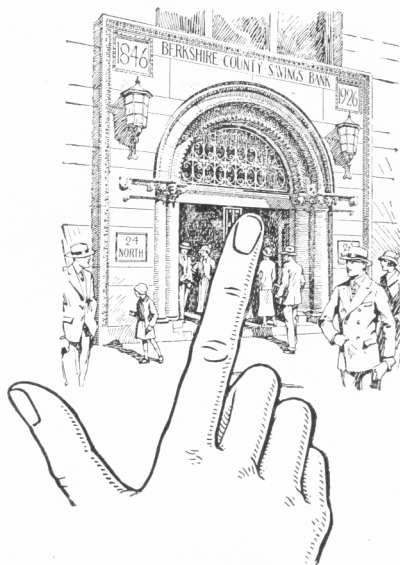
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